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SPRING ARRIVALS!

IN OUR

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DEPARTMENT

We say without any hesitation there is not to be found in the County a Handsomer or Larger line of Fine Imported and American Suitings than is to be seen on our tables, and no pains will be spared to make First Class Work in every particular. We have associated with us as Cutter, Mr. J. G. TerHaar, of Kalamazoo, who will be pleased to see you.

C. S. WORTLEY & BRO.

— MOTHERS —

We specially invite you to inspect our Boys' and Children's Suits. They were made expressly to our order, in different Qualities and Fabrics and in the most Attractive Styles.

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Department, Everything we offer is Entirely New this Spring. Stylish Cut. Beautifully Made.

We have a Full Line of Spring Overcoats.

Our stock of Men's Fine Suits, Diagonal Coats and Vests and Business Suits is larger than any Season since we commenced the Clothing Business.

OUR Stock of Hats, Caps & Gent's Furnishing Goods, embraces ALL the Nobby Styles and Novelties to be found in the New York Market.

We tender to our Friends thanks for past favors, and wishing to increase our Sales over any previous year, we have made our PRICES SO LOW that they will Attract Attention. All Goods marked in Plain Figures.

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Local Matters.

SATURDAY, May 20, 1882.

Tuesday May 30th is decoration day.

Donavin's famous Tennesseeans Monday evening.

Gib. Smith is buildiug a handsome addition to his house.

Geo. J. Nisley, Editor of the Saline Observer re-enters the mercantile business.

The ninth annual Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at Kalamazoo, May 24th and 25th. Session begining Tuesday evening.

Asie Ann Day died recently in Ypsilanti town. This was a little waif placed on Mrs. Day's threshold and tenderly cared for by her.

A small caravan of gypsies passed through town Tuesday. The Ann Arbor News says: "What are these would be gipsies but traveling maranders."

Don't forget the famous Tennesseeans Monday evening at the Opera House, 50, 35, 25, cts children 25 cts. Reserved seats at Dodge's without extra charge.

TEMPERANCE.—Rev. L. Newton of Nashville one of our best speakers will address the Temperance meeting at W. C. T. Union hall tomorrow at three P. M. Come.

Tuesday at about 11:30 P. M. a frame house, belonging to John Hogan, caught fire and was entirely distroyed. Supposed cause, defective chimney. Insurance of $250, and 100 on goods.

The Literary Club will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers, with Mrs. John Jeness, Forest Ave., Wednesday next, May 24th, at 3, P. M.

MRS. JOHN A. Watling, Cor. Sec.

Unclaimed letters, May 18: Wm. Ayers, Mrs. Delia Cornall, Eva Cornall, T. J. DeForest, George H. Dekay, Minnie Gunn, David Hausner, John Krube, Mrs. P. Kinney, Miss C. Owen, Mrs. Almira Teffy, Sarah VanFleet, Mary Vanyorhies, W. E. Wilson.

The city expenses proper the last year amounted to $8,059.77. Poor fund expenditure $809.14. The different Nationalities received aid as follows. Americans $170.55; Irish, $103.33; Germans, $124.82; English $52.26; Colored, $347.88.

Rev. Father DeBever reports 112 catholic families in the city and 28 in the country. Catholic children in the city from 6 to 11 years of age 112. The school building has cost to date $3,243.83. Mr. N. Cordary has been a big and generous contributor $700 to date.

It would not be a bad plan to take the the vote of our taxpayers as to whether the city bonds shall be paid up at once or run five, ten or twenty years. Separate ballots upon which shall be printed now, five ten or twenty years. The proposition receiving the greater number of votes to be adopted by the committee.

O. E. Thompson has sold at retail this spring up to May 1st. $2607.40 of Oliver Chilled Plows made at South Bend, and the celebrated Cassaday Sulkies have come in for a large share of this amount. And Thompson says that he thinks no other agent in the county can show one-half the amount of sales in Plows at retail.

Wm. Travis was standing on his wagon seat east end Forest avenue bridge, Wednesday morning, clearing out the street lamp, when the horse started. His coat was caught in the wheel, and by the time the west end of the bridge was reached, he was minus his coat, and had received injuries on the head, hands, and hip, and was "shuck up" generally.

IN PALATIAL QUARTERS.—Our old friends in Detroit, with whom we have traded thousands of dollars, Cornwell, Price & Co., Detroit, have removed to 41 and 43 Larned st., west. They are fitting up here one of the most elegant general stationery and printers' furnishing houses to be found in the west. Clark Cornwell of this city is the Cornwell of the concern and Wm. B. Seymour has represented the house for many years. The change makes him young again.

PETOSKEY AND ITS NORTHWESTERN SUMMER INSTITUE.—This among the most beautiful of summer resorts on the Lake Michigan Shore is to become a seat of learning. The leading educators of the State have inaugurated an Institute. Session beginning July 12th and closing August 16th. Prof. Lodeman of the Normal, takes charge of German and Literature. Prof. McLouth, Physics and astronomy. The course of lectures is comprehensive and it will offord a fine opportunity for recreation and study combined. Apply to either of the above professors for an announcement. Our fellow citizen Mr. Watson Snyder has a large and influential interest in this captivating and health giving summer resort near by.

We print the following communication from a parent and reputable citizen. We expect our correspondents to confine themselves strictly to news and no way mix up with or retail offensive personalities and when they do so they must accept the penalty:

YPSILANTI, Saturday May 13th 1882.

EDITOR COMMERCIAL:—It is to be regretted that your otherwise welcome journal has, in two late issues, been made the medium of so much scurrility by the writer of "Normal Items." The time has come when the Normal Faculty, who undoubtedly know him, or her, that does this work, should put their official foot down, and make an end of this business. It is a disgrace to the Normal school and should not be longer permitted. And now Mr. Editor, lest some oue should be imposed upon by this "Normal Item" Correspondent, I will just state a fact or two: The four young ladies who withdrew from the "St. Cecilia Musicale," did so at the request of their parents, because of the unwise manner in which the St. Cecilia Musicale was being managed by its conductor or leader, keeping the minds of these scholars in constant state of excitement, and depriving these young people of the necessary quiet of mind for their legitimate work in the school. These parents are highly respectable citizens of Ypsilanti and entertain great respect for the members of the St. Cecilia Musicale. CITIZEN.

We will add we were not aware of the scope or animus of the article in question or it would not have appeared. The COMMERCIAL don't propose to be a party to any thing of the sort. [ED.]

Don't forget the broom drill to come of at the Baptist church.

Our thanks are due Commissioner of Immigration, Fredrick Morley for Michigan and its resources, a work of 160 octavo pages. It is a work of great interest and shows industrious research and compiling skill.

Last Sunday Lawyer Hinckley at the room of the W. C. T. U. developed in a direct and terse speech facts and arguments which if properly appreciated by community would shut up every dram shop. He urged that the abolition of every dram shop in this city would do more for us pecuniarily than the creation of the largest manufacturing or railroad interests. Our state legislatures are enacting more stringent laws. In the State of N. Y. temporary insanity resulting from drink is made no excuse for murder. Mr. J. Randolph went pertinently for the three classes that make the trafic possible. The seller the drinker and the indiferent classes. The Liquor dealers are up and doing. $5000 is being used in this State to corrupt legislation and defeat prohibition. Immediate concentration of action is required.

Prof. Olney of the University, L. L. D. preached an able sermon last Sunday morning from the text "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, soul, might, mind and strength." The Dr. goes to the bottom of things with mathematical precision. He did so in the treatment of this theme. Very many fail to comprehend the nature of love to God. It is not a spasmodic affection. He had no confidence in those professing Christians who had so much to say about their love to Christ, flowing over in prayer meetings, etc., but whose deportment and life did not correspond. Obeying Christ and his precepts were the only true tests of love to God, swaying heart, soul, mind and strength, all the spiritual, intellectnal and physical man.

In the evening there was an exceedingly interesting Sunday School meeting, conducted by the State Sunday School Missionary, aided by Prof. Olney and Rev. Mr. Wright formerly a student here.

THE TENNESSEEANS.

At Opera House next Monday evening.

We shall be pleased to welcome the Tennesseeans again to Flint.—*Flint Citizen.*

Should the Tennesseeans visit Ann Arbor again we doubt if the Opera House could hold the crowd. We recommend this troupe to the press and public wherever they may go.—*Ann Arbor News.*

Donavin's Famous Tennesseeans, a band of colored vocalists, gave a concert last evening at Whitney's Opera House. There are good voices in the little company—managed with nice judgment, and blending harmonously in choruses and concerted pieces. The singers excel in the rendition of the quaint religious airs having their origin at the Southern camp-meeting, in which grotesque expression of devotional fervor is combined with wierd and impressive melody.—*Post and Tribune Oct. 15.*

Remember what we said last week in regard to the funds helping to buy a new organ for the M. E. Church, and go. Admission 50, 35, 25. Reserved seats without extra charge at Dodge's.

COUNCIL NOTES.

The Council has elected for deputy marshals 1st. ward Simeon Rowley; 2nd. W. W. Phillips; 3rd. Watson Snyder; 4th. Spencer Goseline, 5th. John Gunn. A. Stuck, special policemen around the Opera House. The following communications were read.

Hon. H. R. Scovill, Mayor:

In complience with your request to give you my views with regard to the indebtedness of the city, growing out of the Hillsdale R. R. Bonds, I submit the following statement;

1st. I am imformed that some time ago, a judgment was rendered against the city in favor of one P. W. Smith, upon certain coupons, but at what date and for what amount I am not advised.

If such judgment remains unsatisfied, then I think, in view of the late decision in the Taylor case, and as the judgment bears 8 per cent, interest, provision should at once be made under section 244, to pay such judgment.

2nd. As to the Taylor case, if the city is advised that further defence would be of no avail, then its attorneys had better be instructed to withdraw their plea and consent that Taylor take the judgment against the city, and then provide under section 244 for the payment of the judgment; or I think it would be legal, without suffering judgment in favor of Taylor, to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of Taylor's bonds, under section 245—the *cost* being otherwise paid.

3rd. I do not assume to advise you or the Council, but my private judgment is that such steps should be taken as to pay, say $10,000 a year, until this unfortunate indebtedness shall be extinguished. I think new bonds could be negotiated at four per cent interest. Yours truly,

T. NINDE.

May 12, 1882.

From the Mayor:

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

I find that there is no judgment against the city in favor of P. W. Smith. I would recommend in regard to the Rail Road Bonds that we raise this year by taxation ten thousand dollars in favor of the Sinking Fund, then issue new Bonds at once for eighty-five thousand dollars. Ten thousand dollars to be payable September 1st, 1883, together with the interest on the whole amount, and ten thousand dollars and interest annually thereafter until all the bonds are paid, interest not to exceed 4½ per cent per annum, the bonds to be advertised and placed on the market and sold to the highest bidder. I think it advisable to take this matter in hand at once, call in the old bonds and stop the high rate of interest that they are drawing. H. R. SCOVILL, Mayor.

Upon motion of Alderman Hinckley the following committee was appointed to report the best way to dispose of the Hillsdale R. R. question. Deubel, Robbins and Thompson. The Mayor and city clerk were added to the committee. A motion of Alderman Deubel to extend the time of closing the saloons to ten o'clock instead of nine was lost.

Vote.—Ayes, Robbins, Neat, Follmor, Terns and Deubel, 5. Nays, Hinckley, Roys, Stephenson, Thompson and Campaign, 5.

SURPRISED.

For the Commercial.

And now it is Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Warner, just comfortably settled in their new residence on Chicago Ave., in the southwestern part of the city, who are the fortunate people.

The above words well describe their condition on Tuesday evening last, when, on returning from an afternoon visit, they found their house brilliantly lighted and in posession of a very happy company. The invaders proved to be a strong representation from the M. E. church and Sunday school, (of which Mr. W. is superintendent and in which his estimable wife has long been a most faithful teacher,) and many other friends who had thus chosen to honor their fifteenth wedding anniversary. In the course of the evening a table, laden with articles suitable to the occasion made its appearance in the parlor which the Rev. Mr. Elwood, in a very happy little speech, begged them to accept with the kind wishes of all present. Mr. W. responded in a few well chosen words, thanking his friends not only for the gifts but for the feeling that prompted them. A handsomely decorated china tea set was the especial gift of the Sunday school; this and an elegant silver cake-basket, a berry dish, pickle-caster, some articles of table linen, and many other presents rendered the table a center of attraction for the remainder of the evening. Soon after the serving of refreshments the company separated, feeling that surprises are a pleasant thing both to give and to receive. xxx

THE WINDS.

The main recitation room at the Seminary was filled to repletion last Saturday evening to hear Sergeant Finley upon "The Winds." He was handsomely introduced by the principal Prof. R. W. Putnam. Mr. Finley explained the impossibility of predicting the weather from a chamber window or even any locality. Even the entire United States is too limited for correct observation. Yet results are approximated. Tornadoes are the result of high pressure in one locality and low in another, nature seeking an equilibrian. The battle rages fiercely between the contending elements until a normal condition is reached. Tornadoes are known by their width from twelve feet to thirty rods. Also from their swaying motion, ziggag course, now swooping down upon the earth and then a short distance above sweeping onward. It rarely extends in length over fifteen to fifty miles. The one across the centre of this State was exceptional in length of track. Being the result of a barometric through from Northern Texas to the upper Lakes. Within this barometric trough the main points of intense action were in Kansas, Missouri and this state. The centre of this storm cloud is a vacuum. This fact and the swiftness of its speed renders the strongest and most substantial building a mere plaything in its grasp. It gently chrushes in their walls and just as gently and effectually lays down the mightiest and tallest forest. In fleeing from this terrible monster never go east or south or especially southeast or northeast, but north or northwest. In Kansas, Iowa and other states subject to these awful battles of the wind forces, he recommends making dugouts. We have no cyclones. These are broad storms, often 600 to a thousand miles in width and and mostly prevail south of the Equator. Hurricanes are the more destructive cyclones. Whirlwinds are of small extent, and asscend from the earth in a spiral direction. Tornadoes descend from the clouds upon the earth. He described the mortal awe that takes possession of human beings, and, in fact all the animal creation, often paralyzing and transfixing the bravest and boldest man. The lecture happily illustrated occupied two hours. We were sorry that a large number came and were not able to gain entrance. On motion of Rev. Mr. Elwood a vote of thanks was extended to the Sergeant for his entertaining and instructive address. We hope to hear from the Sergeant again on this subject in a larger room. Strange as it may seem it is reserved for an Ypsilanti boy to be the pioneer in this great study of the winds and to write the first books on the subject. Besides the one recently published he has two others in press. One concerning the most direct mains across the ocean.

MARRIED.

RATHFON—ROBBINS—At the residence of the bride's father, Wm. Robbins, May 18th, by the Rev. Dr. McCorkle, FRANK RATHFON and MISS MINNIE E. ROBBINS, both of this city.

The wedding party was a large one. A number of friends from abroad. The festivities were pleasant and enjoyable. The presents were numerous and costly. We were informed that Mr. Robbins drew his daughter a check for a thousand dollars. We extend to the happy couple our kindest wishes.

DUNGROW—THOMPSON—At the residence of Mrs. Vining May 16, by the Rev. S. W. Titus, WM. W. DUNGROW of Detroit and MISS ADDIE THOMPSON of Ypsilanti.

The happy couple were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents, among them a handsome pickle caster from Dr. Wm. Pattison and wife, a breakfast caster from H. A. Goodspeed and May Vining, a silver butter knife Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Forsyth, one pair very fine linen towels from John H. Gilbert, two very handsome quilts from Mrs. Downer, marble top center table from Geo. Dungrow, two sets very fine table linens Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, large easy chair Mr. Geo. McIverish, sauce dishes Mrs. Vining, cheese dish Dr. Barr, pickle dish Addie Gilbert, bread plate Charley Forsyth, and many other useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Dungrow took the six o'clock train to Detroit their future home. Thanks for rich cake.

DIED.

CAMPBELL.—In Pittsfield, May 10th, MARY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell, aged 21 years.

We loved her!
Words cannot tell how well!
We loved her!
God loved her!
And called her home to peace and rest.

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POLITICAL.

The Philadelphia Press says: Considering the amount of the work in hand, the nearly equal division of parties, and the shackling rules by which the House is held down, Congress is making a very fair record. If many good bills are lost in the pressure, a much greater number of crude and ill-considered measures of more than doubtful wisdom are, on account of this pressure, the more easily buried out of sight.

According to the Lansing Republican the returns from 56 counties on file in the office of secretary of state and 11 counties as shown by exchanges, foot up 652 Republicans,343 Democrats, 142 Greenbackers, and 11 independent supervisors in 1882, against 657 Republicans, 339 Democrats, and 141 Greenbackers in 1881. This does not give evidence of the great Greenback uprising about which the Newaygo Tribune and some other papers have been boasting.

In the days of slavery it was considered a clinching question for a Democrat to ask an anti-slavery advocate if "he wanted his daughter to marry a nigger." The Southern Bourbon organs now think it an unanswerable argument to inquire why the Republicans do not elect colored representatives in the North if they want them in Congress. It is altogether probable, as a Republican paper remarks, that if there was so large a proportion of colored voters in the North as there is in the South there would be a number of colored Congressmen from this neighborhood.

Intermediate Appellate Courts.

The bill providing for intermediate appellate courts, which has just passed Congress, creates intermediate courts, one in each existing circuit, and eighteen new circuit judges, or two additional for each circuit, who are to be appointed by the President. The court of each circuit will then consist of the Associate Justice of the Supreme Court allotted to that circuit, three Circuit Judges and two of the District Judges. The latter will be designated at each term for the succeeding term, and if practicable in rotation, and four of the judges are to constitute a quorum. Appellate jurisdiction is conferred upon the new court over the decrees of Circuit or District Courts in causes involving more than $500, or where a Circuit or District Judge shall certify that the adjudication involves a question of general importance. The decisions of an appellate court on questions of fact are to be conclusive, but reviews upon points of law may be had upon writs of error to the Supreme court when the matter in controversy exceeds $10,000, the present limitation being $5,000. In a criminal case a writ of error may be sued out, if allowed by the Judges of the Appellate Court, but cannot be granted after unsuccessful application to another judge. If the judges do not differ and a case is within their jurisdiction, their action is to be final and a writ may be taken upon a question of jurisdiction, but not to review the whole case. Exceptional permission to appeal to the Supreme Court is also granted in questions involving the construction of the Constitution or the validity of a treaty or Federal law.

The bill prescribes the clerical force of the new courts and fixes the following places at which the first terms of the courts in the respective circuits shall be held: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Richmond, New Orleans, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis and San Francisco. The terms are to begin the first Tuesdays in May and November, beginning with November, 1882. It is also provided that a district or circuit judge who has tried a cause shall not sit in hearing upon the appeal.

DARWIN'S character and work as naturalist entitle him to remembrance as the world's benefactor; but, so far as yet appears, he will be honored as the discoverer of facts, rather than of theories. If his theory of the origin of species be true, it must be left to others, by further discovery and application of facts, to prove it. *Harper's Weekly* states the matter correctly when it says:

"The great objection to the Darwinian theory is the want of that direct evidence of facts in its support which would surely be forthcoming if it were true. Geology bears record, in its fossils, of the existence during thousands of past centuries of many species now extinct; but we do not learn from geologists that they have detected any one species in the act of transforming itself into any other. Within the range even of human observation of some living creatures, it might have been expected that, seeing the rapidity of their generations succeeding each other, short-lived as they are, we should find some recorded instances of such mutation. But the animals that old Egypt worshipped and those of which we read in old Æsop's fables were such as we now meet. Allowing, however, the lapse of hundreds of millions of years, antecedent to all geological dates, for the change from the simplest to the most complete living form, it is scarcely credible that the modification of a vegetating structure has produced in animals such an organ as the eye, much less the brain."

The Tubercle Parasite.

PROFESSOR JOHN TYNDALL'S LUMINOUS ACCOUNT OF DR. KOCH'S INVESTIGATIONS.

On the 24th of March, 1882, an address of very serious public import was delivered by Dr. Koch before the Physiological Society of Berlin. It touches a question in which we are all at present interested—that of experimental physiology—and may, therefore, be permitted to give some accounts of it in the Times. The address, a copy of which has been courteously sent to me by its author, is entitled "The Etiology of Tubercular Disease." Koch first made himself known by the penetration, skill and thoroughness of his researches on the contagium of splenic fever. By a process of inoculation and infection he traced this terrible parasite through all its stages of development and through its various modes of action. This masterly investigation caused the young physician to be transferred from a modest country practice, in the neighborhood of Breslau, to the post of Government Advisor to the Imperial Health Department of Berlin.

From this department has lately issued a most important series of investigations on the etiology of infective disorders. Koch's last inquiry deals with a disease which, in point of mortality, stands at the head of them all. If, he says, the seriousness of a malady be measured by the number of its victims,then the most dreaded pests which have hitherto ravaged the world—plague and cholera included—must stand far behind the one now under consideration. Koch makes the startling statement that one-seventh of the deaths of the human race are due to tubercular disease, while fully one-third of those who die in active middle-age are carried off by the same cause. Prior to Koch it had been placed beyond doubt that the disease was communicable; and the aim of the Berlin physician has been to determine the precise character of the contagium which previous experiments on inoculation and inhalation had proved to be capable of indefinite transfer and reproduction. He subjected the diseased organs of a great number of men and animals to microscopic examination, and found, in all cases, the tubercles infested with a minute, rod-shaped parasite, which, by means of a special dye, he differentiated from the surrounding tissue. It was, he says, in the highest degree impressive to observe in the centre of the tubercle cell the minute organism which had created it. Transferring directly, by inoculation, the tuberculous matter from diseased animals to healthy ones, he in every instance reproduced the disease. To meet the objection that it was not the parasite itself, but some virus in which it was imbedded in the diseased organ, that was the real contagium, he cultivated his bacilli artificially, for long periods of time and through many successive generations. With a speck of matter, for example, from a tuberculous human lung, he infected a substance prepared, after much trial, by himself, with the view of affording nutriment to the parasite. Here he permitted it to grow and multiply. From this new generation he took a minute sample and infected therewith fresh nutritive matter, thus producing another brood. Generation after generation of baccilli were developed in this way, without the intervention of disease. At the end of the process, which sometimes embraced successive cultivations extending over half a year, the purified baccilli were introduced into the circulation of healthy animals of various kinds. In every case inoculation was followed by the reproduction and spread of the parasite and the generation of the original disease.

Permit me to give a further, though still brief and sketchy,account of Koch's experiments. Of six guinea-pigs, all in good health, four were inoculated with bacilli derived originally from a human lung, which in fifty-four days had produced five successive generations. Two of the six animals were not infected. In every one of the infected cases the guinea-pig sickened and lost flesh. After thirty-two days one of them died, and after thirty-five days the remaining five were killed and examined. In the guinea-pig that died, and in the three remaining infected ones, strongly pronounced tubercular disease had set in. Spleen, liver and lungs were found filled with tubercles ;while in the two uninfected animals no trace of the disease was observed. In a second experiment, six out of eight guinea-pigs were inoculated with cultivated bacilli, derived originally from the tuberculous lung of a monkey, bred and rebred for ninety-five days, until eight generations had been produced. Every one of these animals was attacked, while the two uninfected guinea-pigs remained perfectly healthy. Similar experiments were made with cats, rabbits, rats, mice and other animals, and without exception, it was found that the injection of the parasite into the animal system was followed by decided and, in most cases, virulent tubercular disease.

In the cases thus far mentioned inoculation had been effected in the abdomen. The place of inoculation was afterward changed to the aqueous humor of the eye. Three rabbits received each a speck of bacillus-culture, derived originally from a human lung affected with pneumonia. Eighty-nine days had been devoted to the culture of the organism. The infected rabbits rapidly lost flesh, and after twenty-five days were killed and examined. The lungs of every one of them were found charged with tubercles. Of three other rabbits, one received an injection of pure blood-serum in the aqueous humor of the eye, while the other two were infected, in a similar way, with the same serum, containing baccilli derived originally from a diseased lung, and subjected to ninety-one days' cultivation. After twenty-eight days the rabbits were killed. The one which had received an injection of pure serum was found perfectly healthy, while the lungs of the two others were found overspread with tubercles.

Other experiments are recorded in this admirable essay, from which the weightiest practical conclusions may be drawn. Koch determines the limits of temperature between which the tuber-bacillus can develop and multiply. The minimum temperature he finds to be 86° Fahrenheit and the maximum 104°. He concludes that, unlike the bacillus anthracis of splenic fever,which can flourish freely outside the animal body, in the temperate zone animal warmth is necessary for the propagation of the newly discovered organism. In a vast number of cases Koch has examined the matter expectorated from the lungs of persons affected with phthisis and found in it swarms of baccilli, while in matter expectorated from the lungs of persons not thus afflicted he has never found the organism. The expectorated matter in the former cases was highly infective, nor did drying destroy its virulence. Guinea-pigs infected with expectorated matter which had been kept dry for two, four and eight weeks respectively, were smitten with tubercular disease quite as virulent as that produced by fresh expectoration. Koch points to the grave danger of inhaling air in which particles of the dried sputa of consumptive patients mingles with dust of other kinds.

It would be mere impertinence on my part to draw the obvious moral from these experiments. In no other conceivable way than that pursued by Koch could the true character of the most destructive malady by which humanity is now assailed be determined. And, however noisy the fanaticism of the moment may be, the common sense of Englishmen will not, in the long run, permit it to enact cruelty in the name of tenderness, or to debar us from the light and leading of such investigations as that which is here so imperfectly described.

The Dublin Tragedy.

Assassination tires not in its cowardly and detestable work. Its last act sends a wail of horror from the other side of the Atlantic. On Saturday afternoon, May 6, as Lord Frederick Cavendish, the newly appointed Secretary for Ireland, and the Under Secretary, T. H. Burk, were taking an after-dinner walk in Phœnix Park, Dublin, and when about half a mile from the city gate, and about a quarter of a mile from the Chief Secretary's lodge, they were attacked by assassins, with knives and dirks, and literally cut in pieces. The assassins approached their victims in a car, two of whom jumped down and made the attack, and after they had done their work, resumed their places in the car and hurried away. There would appear to have been a severe struggle for life, the bodies having been found some ten paces apart, that of Cavendish displaying eight gaping wounds, and that of Burke eleven. Two young men riding bicycles discovered the bodies, which were at once removed by the police to the hospital to await examination. Besides his other wounds, the Chief Secretary's left arm was broken and torn, as if it had been used to defend his breast from the dagger. A large quantity of notes and gold coin, besides their gold watches, were found in the pockets of the victims, showing that the object of the crime was not robbery. Mr. Forster, the late Secretary, expresses the opinion that the act was prearranged, and intended to show that the spirit of Fenianism is not to be placated.

This work of assassination is freely denounced by the leaders of the Irish Land League, as well it may be, for it will put back the cause of local self-government indefinitely, and it casts doubt and suspicion on all measures to adjust the vexed questions relative to tenant and landlord. That Gladstone has been actuated by motives of humanity as well as by considerations of wise statesmanship, in the conciliatory measures he has inaugurated, no one should doubt. They should have had the effect to repress crime, to inspire confidence in the wisdom of his administration. How the assassination of his Secretary will modify the remedial measures he has introduced, and how the atrocity is to affect the stability of his government or otherwise embarrass his administration, remains to be seen. The best friends, both of Ireland and England, have good reasons to cherish sympathy for the Premier, whose great heart was so alive to the work of reconciliation, and whose shoulders must be pressed down under the additional weight which this act of fiendish cruelty has brought upon him,—all the more burdensome to him, because of the doubt which will be cast upon his really beneficent policy, which should have been fraught with amelioration to Ireland.

GEO. OTTO TREVELYAN, the new Chief Secretary for Ireland, is a nephew of the late Lord Macaulay, and is best known in this country as the editor of Macaulay's Life and Letters. For the last few years he has been Secretary of the Admiralty, the office filled by Samuel Pepys in the time of Charles II and his brother James. He represents the district of Harwick, Scotland, and ranks as a Liberal in Parliament.

The Newfoundland fisheries are reported unsuccessful owing to ice.

CONGRESS.

May 11.—The bill for intermediate appellate courts was further discussed by Mr. George, Jones and Morgan. An amendment was adopted on motion of Mr. Davis providing more explicitly that the jurisdiction of Circuit courts shall be neither enlarged nor abridged by the bill. The conference report on the Indian Appropriation bill was submitted. The total has been reduced by the conference $455,200. The report was concurred in and the bill passed.

In the House Mr. Sherwin reported a bill to aid in the support of common schools. Printed and recommitted. It provides that for the next five years there shall be annually appropriated $10,000,000 to aid in the support of free common schools, which amount shall be known as the common school fund, and which shall be apportioned to the several States and Territories according to the number of their illiterate population over ten years of age. Mr. Rice, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported back adversely the bill to shorten to two years the period required in homesteading. Tabled.

May 12.—In the senate, consideration of the intermediate appellate courts bill was resumed, the question being upon its passage. The bill was further discussed by Messrs. Pugh, Davis and Morgan and passed finally, yeas 32, nays 18, receiving the support of all the Rebublicans and Messrs. Bayard, Cockrell, Jackson, Harris, Pugh and Walker, Democrats.

In the house the bill was passed providing for the removal of the remains of the late Gen. Kilpatrick from Chili to the United States. The conference report on the fortification appropriation bill wes agreed to and the house resumed consideration of the Geneva award bill. The substitute of the minority was rejected, 46 to 109. The bill then passed, yeas, 132, nays 66. The conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill was agreed to.

May 15.—In the House Mr. Robinson offered a resolution requesting the President to answer if any American citizen had offered the Irish-American prisoners money to accept release on condition that they came to this country. The House passed by a vote of 152 to 48 the bill introduced by Mr. Burrows of Michigan preventing actions for damages for infringements on patents in all cases where the defendant purchases the article openly for a valuable consideration, for personal use and not manufacture.

In the Senate Mr. Beck made a speech in support of his resolution to take action on the House bill extending the bonded period for distilled spirits, as soon as practicable after the finance committee report on the same. Mr. Beck claimed that the bill was an honest measure which would promote alike the interests of the dealer, government and distiller.

May 16.—In the senate, the senate bill to authorize the Rock Island and Southwestern railway company to construct a bridge over the Mississippi at New Boston, Illinois, was passed. A joint resolution authorizing the librarian of congress to accept a library offered the United States by Dr. Joseph Meredith Toner of Washington was also passed. Mr. Vest reported favorably the bill to establish a United States court in Indian Territory. Mr. Conger by request introduced a bill providing that any officer now in the regular army who served with the volunteer forces or in the regular army at any time during the war of the rebellion as a regimental or staff officer, or aide de camp to any general officer, and actually performed the duty of such position, shall be considered as in service for the entire time he acted in such capacity.

The House resumed consideration of the national bank charter bill, and Mr. Hewitt spoke in favor of the banks, stating that the present system was the best yet devised by the ingenuity of man. Mr. Buckner opposed the bill. If the national banking system were to be continued he favored an amendment which would let every bank know that it could not, at its mere caprice, reduce or increase its circulation. Mr. Butterworth supported the bill as required by public policy and by the business interests of the country, but insisted that reserves of national banks should be kept in coin. He ridiculed the proposition that the banks should be overthrown and the government go into the rag business of publishing money.

May 17.—In the senate Mr. Cameron reported adversely a joint resolution tendering the thanks of congress to Chief Engineer Melville, U. S. N. Mr. Sherman presented the petition of Mrs. Betty R. Basset, of Virginia, setting forth that she is the owner of the family bible of George Washington, and offering to sell it to the government. The bill for the extension of the steam grain shovel patent, reported favorably with the substitution of seven years in place of ten as to the term of extension, occupied the time reserved for the calendar. Discussion of the five per cent. Land bill was resumed, Mr. Garland supporting the measure.

The house resumed the consideration of the bank charter extension bill. Debate being closed the bill was read by sections for amendments. Mr. Murch offered an amendment reducing from twenty to three years the period for which banks may extend their succession. He was willing to allow banks three years to go into some honest business. Rejected—yeas 61, nays 117. Mr. Buckner moved to make the period ten years. The yeas and nays were ordered, pending which the matter went over for the day. Mr. Hazelton, from the committee on elections, submitted a report on the case of Lowe vs. Wheeler, of the eighth congressional district of Alabama, declaring the contestant, Lowe, entitled to the seat.

Colonel "Bob" Ingersoll charges the Bible with responsibility for cruelty, bloodshed, war, polygamy, slavery and ignorance. But as yet we believe he has not charged it with making men defenders of a thief who steals the public money, breaking their promises and delaying, if not defeating, justice, violating the decencies of a court by calling another man a liar and violently pounding the table with his fist. These and charging men fifty cents a head for emancipating them from superstition are, we suppose, the fruits of infidelity.—*Free Press.*

"Yes," said the country member, "I went to that variety show because I felt sure there'd be nobody there who knew me! Durned if pretty mnch the whole Legislature wasn't there!"

To draw inferences is the great business of life.—*John Staurt Mill.*

Ex-Minister Birney on Holland.

The New York Graphic interviewed the ex-minister upon his arrivrl in New York port with the following result: Hollanders he regards as among the happiest, freest and most contented people in Europe, the government while firm, is exceptionally mild and liberal. America and the Americans, he said, stood high both with the royal family and among the people, and the indications were that the friendly relations would grow firmer and stronger as the trade relations, which already are important, increased. He attributed much of Holland's good will to America to the recent abolition by congress of discriminating duties upon the products of the countries east of the cape of Good Hope, which now enables American merchants to purchase coffee and sugar from Java at Amsterdam without the expense of sending ships to that far off island, as heretofore, and to bring the same to the United States without the payment here of the 10 per cent. custom dues heretofore exacted.

"The abrogation of this tax," said Mr. Birney, "is of great importance in two ways. First, it saves American importers large expenses, and second, it makes Amsterdam the grand depot for American supplies of Java coffee and sugar, and ensures the best quality of these products of Holland's colonies for the American market. The Holland government regards the action of congress as a friendly concession in acknowledgment of her abolition of certain duties in 1874, and will not soon forget the courtesy and spirit of fair dealing which prompted it."

Mr. Birney said that the people of Holland idolized the name of the late James Lothrop Motley on account of his eminent literary services in behalf of the country, as was exemplified in his "History of the Dutch Republic." "Mr. Motley's book," he said, "is the standard of authority historically throughout the kingdom. The late Queen Sophia was Mr. Motley's firm friend and admirer and the portrait of the distinguished American historian occupies to-day a post of honor in the royal palace." The American trade in petroleum with Holland, was growing more important yearly, and would, it was his impression, in time equal in value the importations of Java coffee and sugar into this country. There had been some talk at The Hague concerning the aggressive policy of the German government, but no fears were entertained there that Prince Bismarck would dare to attempt to carry out his scheme of amalgamating Holland with the German empire. The attempt, if ever made, he said, would be resisted to the bitter end by the people of Holland, who were opposed to being denationalized.

"The people of Holland," he added, "are intensely patriotic; they love their king, their government and their country. Their civil service is carried out to perfection, and a change of rulers and of ministry has no effect upon the public servant who has faithfully performed his duties. The politics of the country is singularly free from corruption, the laws are just and great crimes are rare. In Holland, if a nominee for the national parliament should canvass his district as in England and the United States he would be looked upon with disgust, and would stand no possible show of success, and if a candidate should expend a florin toward his election he would be regarded as little better than a knave. By adhering to this strict standard of honor the Dutch members of parliament stand exceptionally high and are above suspicion or reproach. The postal system of Holland, was equal if not superior to that of any other country on the continent. Letters were forwarded under this system to all parts of the realm for two cents, and the new plan of sending parcels of merchandise through the mails at an extremely low tariff gave great satisfaction. Both, he said, not only paid expenses, but netted a handsome revenue for the government.

The disappearance of the sardine from the coast of Brittany, where it used to bring the fishermen 15,000,000 francs a year, is attributed to a change in the direction of the gulf stream.

Smiles.

How dear to my heart is the school I attended,
And how I remember, so distant and dim,
That red-headed Bill, and the pin that I bended,
And carefully put on the bench under him;
And how I recall the surprise of the master,
When Bill gave a yell, and sprang up with the pin
So high that his bullet-head busted the plaster
Above, and the scholars all set up a grin—
That active boy Billy—that high-leaping Billy—
That loud-shouting Billy that sat on the pin

Josh Billings Heard From.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 11, 1880.

Dear Bitters—I am here trying to breathe in all the salt air of the ocean,and having been a sufferer for more than a year with a refractory liver, I was induced to mix Hop Bitters with the sea gale, and have found the tincture a glorious result. * * * I have been greatly helped by the Bitters, and am not afraid to say so. Yours without a struggle,

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Sultan Pasha has informed Arabi Bay that if the army insists on deposing the Khedive of Egypt the Bedouins will enter Cairo. The Khedive evidently has the Bedouins at his command and seems master of the position.

Humbugged Again.

I saw so much said about the merits of Hop Bitters, and my wife who was always doctoring, and never well, teased me so urgently to get her some, I concluded to be humbugged again; and I am glad I did, for in less than two months' use of the Bitters, my wife was cured, and she has remained so for eighteen months since. I like such humbugging.—H. T., St. Paul.—*Pioneer Press.*

As he took his seat in the barber's chair he asked the barber if he had the same razor he had used on him two days before. Being answered affirmatively, the patient man said: "Then give me chloroform."—*Scranton Republican.*

A correspondent of the Detroit *Free Press*, anent the undertaking of a man in Michigan to reset 1,000 black walnut trees for commercial purposes, says that they cannot be transplanted and retain their vigor. They should be grown from the nuts. He has made experiments by both transplanting and raising from the seed, which convinced him that the latter is much the preferable way.

TURKEYS are now out of season and should not be eaten. The time for selling them for food should end on the first of March. With the advent of spring the flesh grows flabby and is unfit for food. Hotels and restaurants, however, continue to serve them until about the middle of April.

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THE COMING SEASON.

BY A "ZUMMERZET VARMER."

The following from a late number of the London Agricultural Gazette is a good study in the Somersetshire dialect, whatever may be its merits in the weather "forecasting" line.

All you that be varmin' t' year plaze cum hether,
An' I'll tell'ee ixacly what manner o' weather
You've a got cummin' on the saison avor'ee,
Ef you'll be but zo kind as to hear out my story.

I've told'ee avortime, again an' again,
O' saisons o' thunder an' lightnin' an' rain,
O' starms an' o' vluds, an' calamities sad,
An' too true they've a' cum an' bin terrible bad.

Now, I'm plazed to inform'ee, I've got better news.
The clark o' the weather have done wi' the blues,
He's a cummin' out handsome an' smilin' to year;
Ye can take thess vor gospel, I tell'ee no vear.

Not as how I sets up ver a prophet like they
As studies astrology all night an' day,
An' pretends tey a mestery they can explain,
How the stars in their coorses bring zunshine or rain

No wizard be I o' the north, east, or west;
My prophecies come vrom the source that's the best,
That's sheer calcalation o' cause an' effec,
Nine times out o' ten, zurr, you'll vind it correc.

Ef you takes care to chronicle cycles o' weather,
An' you knows how to putt all their lessons together,
That adage by statesmen so well understood,
That hestory repeats itzelf mostly holds good.

Mild wenters have generally brought, as a rule,
Vine zummers, tho' p'raps in the early part cool,
At zunshin en March we had better not holler,
No zummer's a made by the zight o' one swoller.

Et ull come very coold I'm aveard afore long,
An' kill off the plants an' the buds that beant strong.
Aist wends ull be tryin', an' wunt at all suit
The orchits an' them as depends upon fruit.

But take et all round an' all auver the nation,
The land will quite pay vor zum good cultivation;
Yer ground wunt be deluged weth auver much rain;
Agricultur thess year wunt be labor in vain.
A little coold weather in April an' May,
Weth showers and p'raps sleet, wunt much hurt vor the hay:
An' ef the hot zummer don't come in so soon.
As what you expected, 'twill come late in June.

July wull be hot an' remarkably dry,
An' to reap purty early thess year we mos' try;
Vor Augus' may bring zum electrical change,
An' ef harvests that's late shud be wet, 'twunt be strange.

Our loads will be heavy from meadow an' field,
Whate an' barley will give us a capital yield.
The turnups an' wuzzles 'ull do vury well,
With early pertaters in market to zell.

Ef grain crops be early an' quickly got in.
We once more vrom varmin a profit might win.
I doant zay our prospects be bright altogether,
But they wunt be no wuss vor the nex zummer's weather.

Ex.

A WORD IN SEASON.

Drink not in winter, when the wind
Is fickle as a wandering mind—
When snow falls like a winding-sheet,
And clouds sail like a scattered fleet.
Wine makes the best blood blue and thin,
And chills the heart that beats within;
The blood that pulses through the veins
Beats best in him who best abstains.

Drink not in spring, when flowers arise
Clad in the rainbow varies dyes;
Their cups, more fine than porcelain,
They hold to catch the dew and rain.
The birds dip not their bills to slake
Their thirst with what wine-bibbers take;
They taste the dew and rain, and raise
Their little heads in grateful praise,

Drink not in summer, when the sun
Strikes with his lance the reckless one.
Can fire within keep off the heat
And make the heart with vigor beat?
Effect is sure to follow cause;
Nature has writ her code of laws
In characters of light, and plain
As truth: "From alcohol abstain!"

Drink not in autumn, when the chill,
Raw blast pipes loud upon the hill;
'Tis then Boreas. raving cold,
Scatters the leaves of red and gold.
With lips invisible at flues
He whispers of the wrecks of crews,
And shakes the shutters while he roars
Like drunken men at tavern-doors.

WIDOW APPLEDORE'S ROMANCE.

"A man that thinks of nothing but pep'mint oil an' price of wheat! No! Emma Jane; my life has been humdrum enough without my ending it with Deacon Bliss. I shan't have him!"

"Well, well, Rosetta, if you won't I don't know's anybody's goin'ter try an' make you," chirped plump, rosy, Mrs. Phlox, looking up from the stout blue woolen sock she was knitting. "I s'pose the Deacon thought he'd a right to ask you, seein' it's a free country. Caleb Appledore was an awful nice man, but so's the Deacon. Lone wimmin are put on. Job Wittamore neglects your gard'ning, an' just see what work you have with your fires winters an' keepin' roads broke out."

"I'm not going to marry just to have some one tend the garden and do the chores," said Mrs. Appledore. "I've never found fault with them that's dead and gone; but I know what it is to live with a person who does not care two pins for the things I do, and if I ever do marry again it will be some one who can sympathize with me. I can't say I can swallow all 'Lias Bradshaw says about the marryin' of souls and affinities, but there's some truth in it you may depend. Besides, I'd like a little romance in my life before I die."

"Ro-mance is all well 'nuff," said Mrs. Phlox; "but you're 39 next March, Rosetta, an' sech a man as Deacon Bliss don't grow on every bush. Bein' a good provider, an' a splendid farmer, an' a deacon, an' a pillar in the church may not be romantic, but they're good recommendations in a man you're thinkin' of marryin'. I hope you'll think twice."

"I have thought, and I shan't marry the deacon," said Mrs. Appledore decisively; "an' if that's being romantic, I'm not ashamed of it."

The little widow did not look romantic. Her complexion was a dull white, and her hair was a dull brown. Dull, too, were her large gray eyes that blinked behind short-sighted glasses, but her form, though meager and devoid of curve, was not without grace, and she had a clear, sweet soprano voice, which, though it was untrained, she could use with taste and feeling. The Harmonicum, the Dixville musical association, made her the head of all their committees, and relied upon her to sing all the solos. Indeed, without her it could not have existed. The wheezy melodeon, which was a dozen years old before it became the property of the society, had at last collapsed under the energetic fingers of Professor Jackson Jones, who did the accompanying, and they were trying to buy a piano. They had given concerts and had oyster suppers till Dixville was tired, when Dr. Ollapod suggested a lecture. It was whispered that the Doctor had expected the committee to invite him to read one of his papers on the Semitic tongues; but if he did he was disappointed. They corresponded with many popular lecturers, who all declined to visit Dixville on the plea of engagements, and the committee at last invited a certain Professor St. Clair Smith, about whom they knew nothing save that he had lectured in the neighboring villages, with acceptance, to address them. The Professor had suddenly appeared in Dixville mounted on a fine gray horse. The next day he was seen to enter the post-office with a green bag on his arm, and and the gossips immediately reported that he was wealthy and had come from Boston. He at once accepted the invitation of the Harmonicum committee, and announced that his lecture would be on the "Philosophy of Art." The meeting-house was hired and Mrs. Appledore, with a select few, began practicing some music for the occasion.

It was the afternoon before the lecture, and Mrs. Appledore had invited her sister to spend the day with her. Domestic duties seemed to be just what Mrs. Phlox was made for. Her husband and sister usually did all her thinking. In return she served them with her hands; but the few notions that did creep into her round head she clung to pertinaciously.

"The worst kind of a fool is a beetle-headed one," she said, after a long pause; "an' puttin' this and that together, Rosetta, I think, you're preparin' with your romancin' to be just that kind of a one."

"I don't see how sisters can be so unlike," and Mrs. Appledore drummed a harsh accompaniment to her words on the middle C of her piano. "To be sure, you are the oldest; but age need not make one's soul a clod."

"It would be well for you to remember that all the advantages are not on your side," cried Mrs. Phlox, rising with dignity. "There are bodies, yes, and dispositions, that are clods," and Mrs. Phlox jerked on her calash and went home.

The meeting-house was full, and the next day the Dixville *Times* declared the lecture to have been a most soulful and eloquent dissertation, but Mrs. Appledore's attention wandered, and she only knew that the entertainment was about to be concluded by Dr. Ollapod's sonorous call for "moosic."

"I am delighted," said Professor St. Clair Smith, bowing low before her, as soon as possible after the "moosic." "I never heard such a delicious voice."

Mrs. Appledore coughed behind her hand to conceal her flattered embarrassment, and turned a questioning look on Professor Jackson Jones, who stood near.

"You always sing splendid," said that gentleman, drawing himself up. "I didn't do myself justice to-night."

"You've always dragged," said Karl Leopold, who took every opportunity to criticise the Harmonicums doings.

Professor Jackson Jones pulled at his cravat, and Mrs. Appledore's face was full of resentment.

"I never heard anything finer in Boston," said Professor St. Clair Smith, coming to the rescue, "and I suppose you know what that implies."

The night after the lecture was a very stormy one, and Mrs. Appledore was slowly twisting her hair in crimping-pins, when the door-bell rang. "I could not endure the loneliness of the hotel, dear Mrs. Appledore," said Professor St. Clair Smith, making a courtly bow, "and have come to beg for just one song."

The Professor was, so far as outline and coloring go, a handsome man. His head was what is commonly called dome-shaped. His wavy hair and silky beard were a bright yellow red, and his rather large eyes were blue. He sat down in the big rocking-chair, and taking a twin on each knee, "I renew my youth in children," he cried, giving them a squeeze. "Do you know the song, 'The old times were the best times when you and I were young.'"

"Oh, yes," said the widow, nervously turning over her music, "but I can't say that I feel so very old."

"Dear me, what a blunderer I am," cried the Professor. "I was thinking of my boyhood. I've always hated being grown up. A man has so much to fetter his imagination. You must have lost your husband in the first flush of your youth?"

'I did,' murmured the widow, forgetting that she was 35 when the event occurred.

'The twins were babes.'

Song succeeded song till the Professor proposed duets, and Mrs. Appledore enjoyed the music so much that it was midnight before she knew it.

Two months passed away. The Professor came almost every evening. He had hired a small house a little out of town, that he might be undisturbed, he explained, and a relative had come to keep house for him. He did not know how long he should remain in Dixville. He was preparing a book for publication, and writing several lectures. When his literary labors were over he was going to take a trip somewhere and rest, though friends of his, influential in Washington, were anxious for him to accept a consulship at an important point.

The widow's neat white cottage stood by itself on the confines of the village. Deacon Bliss' fields of dark green peppermint and nodding wheat stretching along the country road for nearly a mile joined the garden. Before her abrupt refusal of him, the Deacon had been accustomed to drop in for a little visit or to bring a neighborly offering of apples or fresh vegetables. But these calls had ceased, and, cut off from all her sources of news and pleasure, Mrs. Appledore stayed closely at home, practiced her music and entertained the Professor.

But one sunshiny afternoon Mrs. Phlox came bustling up the prim graveled sidewalk.

'Rosetta Appledore,' she chirped, like an angry bluejay, as she opened the door, 'though a clod, which there are folks that think different, I've come to ask you if you know you're the town talk?'

'The town talk?' echoed her astonished sister.

'Yes, the town talk,' repeated Mrs. Phlox, with wonderful emphasis. 'Anybody would be who had spent two blessed months philanderin' with a married man.'

'Who is married?'

'Your Professor Smith.'

'I don't believe it.'

'I s'posed you wouldn't, but I've seen his wife,' said Mrs. Phlox with evident satisfaction. 'Miss Merrills, she 'twas Pearly Ann Truesdale, wouldn't miss a findin' out anything if she had to walk ten miles, an' she called on *her*, an told me. That night I sez to John, 'John' sez I, 'a sister's a sister, 'specially if she's younger an' a widder, an' if I be a clod I'm goin' to the bottom of this;' 'an',' sez he, 'Emma Jane, I think you'd better,' an' the first thing he did the next mornin' was to hitch up an' take me over to the mile-strip where that fellow lives, in Tony Allerton's cottage. He wa't in, but she was, an' she was washin'.

'I'm Miss Phlox,' sez I, 'an' I come to call.' 'Thank you,' sez she. 'I'm Miss Smith,' an' she set out the only chair there was in the room for me, an' set down herself on the wash-bench.'

'Air you Miss St. Clair Smith, the wife of the Professor,' sez I.

'A sort of smile twinkled over her mouth an' she sez, 'Yes, Miss St. Clair Smith, though I didn't know Mr. Smith had adopted the St. Clair name. That's my family name.' An' then she went on an' spoke of her husband, an' of how ambitious he is, an' how he feels his spear in public life, an' how she is willin' to do anything to help him. An' then she inquired if I thought she could get sewin' in Dixville when she feels a little better an' is able to do it.'

Tears of shame and anger gathered in Mrs. Appledore's eyes as her sister spoke. 'Is Mrs. Smith good looking? Is she an interesting woman?' she asked.

'I can't say how interesting she is. She seemed kind of trod on, so to speak. As for looks, she ain't any prettier'n you'd be if you worked hard an' didn't have half enough to eat,' said Mrs. Phlox calmly.

Mrs. Appledore sobbed aloud. 'What do people say about me? What shall I do?' she cried.

'They don't say nothin' yet, only that you're dreadful foolish,' chirped her sister, rising and putting on her calash, for it was almost supper time. 'I can't say as I know of anything for you to do except to tell Mr. Smith to stay t'home. 'Taint likely that Deacon Bliss will give you a chance to say yes a second time.'

There had been a good deal of pleasurable excitement in receiving the visits of the Professor. To dress herself in her best mourning and to sing her favorite songs to an appreciative listener, had been something to look forward to during the humdrum work of the day. The thought, however, of what her acquaintances were saying about her embittered her life, and when the Professor again called one glance at her face told him that she knew all.

'Dear Mrs. Appledore,' he began, but she checked him.

'You had better go home to your wife, Mr. Smith,' she said coldly.

Tears, real tears, came into the Professor's big blue eyes. 'But I love you,' he cried, 'and she has always been an incubus upon my soul.'

'But she's your wife,' persisted Mrs. Appledore.

'I know it,' moaned the Professor, rubbing his brow distractedly. 'It eats out my vitals when I think of it. She don't feel as I feel. There's no wings for me as long as I am tied to her. We've no affinity.'

Mrs. Appledore gazed at him in dull wonder. These were almost the words she had used to her sister, but they did not sound pleasantly now.

'I love you, Rosetta,' went on the little man, approaching her; 'and I want to ask you just one question: Were I a single man would you marry me?'

'I might,' admitted the widow, smoothing down a fold in her overskirt with a trembling hand.

'Enough!' and the Professor flung his arms about her and pressed a rapturous kiss upon her forehead. 'Bless you, my darling!' and before she could answer him he was gone.

The next evening when Mrs. Appledore was taking down her washing from the line she was suddenly clasped from behind by a pair of strong arms. 'You will soon be mine,' said the voice of the Professor. 'I've offered my wife $50 to leave me and she has accepted.

'Accepted,' the widow cried, wrenching herself free.

'Yes, and as soon as I can sell my book she shall go. I've lived in soul isolation long enough. My heart has found its mate.'

All the men that Mrs. Appledore knew were quaint of speech and somewhat rustic in manner, but what they considered duty controlled their lives. 'You wretch,' she cried, dashing the clothes-pin basket at him. 'Fifty dollars! You ain't worth fifty cents. Go home and never dare to speak to me again!'

'Hear me,' he pleaded, catching hold of her gown.

'I can't stay here and listen to your philanderin' talk,' she answered resolutely, and twitching her dress from his grasp she entered the house. But the Professor's hand was upon the latch. Like most little women, the widow was a curious mixture of timidity and courage. She flung the door open. 'Don't you dare to come in!' she cried. 'I'll throw hot water on you! I'll—I'll kill you!' Then, slamming the door in his face, she bolted it securely.

All the evening the Professor paced up and down Mrs. Appledore's back veranda. The next evening he again appeared, and the next, and the widow thoroughly alarmed sent the bravest twin out the front way with a note to her brother-in-law.

Mr. Phlox delighted in anything that could be called proceedings, and in a few minutes he had the deputy sheriff and two constables, and went marching down the principal street with them to the great delight of all the small boys of the village. It was impossible for the Professor to escape. The officers crept round the house noiselessly. The sheriff collared him, the constables pinioned his arms, Mr. Phlox grabbed him by the coat-tails, and away he was walked to the village lock-up.

Mrs. Appledore passed a sleepless night; she imagined the whole town was wide awake and discussing her, and long before daybreak she had resolved to sell her home and Dixville bank stock and move west. 'I've got my romance,' she groaned. 'I've always been romantic, and wanted a romance such as I've read about, and I've had one.' About 8 o'clock in the morning there came a lively rap at the kitchen door, and. unstrung by excitement and loss of sleep, she shrieked aloud.

'Only me; only Deacon Bliss,' cried a pleasant voice through the keyhole.

Mrs. Appledore slid back the bolt with trembling fingers. 'How thankful I am,' she said holding out her hand; 'I feel so in need of somebody.'

"Twas fortinet I come along jes' as I did then,' said the Deacon, taking off his straw hat and slowly rubbing his face with his ample bandana. It was a shrewd though benevolent face, framed in waves of iron-gray hair. 'I see ye look kinder peaked. The weather has been tryin'. I've felt it myself, an' ached in my jints the wust way.'

'It's my soul, Deacon,' wailed the widow, dropping into a chair and covering her face with her aporn. 'I've always hankered after a romance an' I've had one, an I wish I was dead and laid beside Caleb.'

'Oh, no ye don't Miss Appledore,' said the Deacsn in the caressing tone in which he would address a sobbing child. 'This world's a pooty good place, an', with a few exceptions, folks are pooty good. I come over to fetch a few sweetin's, and to tell you thet that there offer I made ye a spell ago holds good yet. I rally wish ye'd consider it again.'

Mrs. Appledore remained silent behind her apron.

'Ef ye'd have me,' repeated the Deacon, in a low voice. 'I know I ain't half good 'nuff and thet I'm kind uv an old fellow, but I've got a comf'able place an' comf'able things in it, and I've been sot on ye this long spell, as ye knows. I dare say I was 'tached to Lucy more'n I shall ever be to anybody agin. We sort uv growed together like, but so did you and Caleb, an' I'm sure I'll try ter make ye happy, and yer two little gals, as sweet as two pinks, 'll be to me jes' like the little gals I lost.'

Mrs. Appledore did not remove her apron, and after a pause the Deacon falteringly continued: 'I s'pose 'taint no use to argy. Folks has their own idees of such things; but anyways I'll stand yer friend.'

The widow rubbed her eyes and slowly let fall her apron. 'I've always had the greatest esteem for you,' she said, with a little shake in her voice, 'but I never knew how good—how much I think of you. I will—I——'

The Deacon started up, 'Will ye?'

Mrs. Appledore had taken refuge in her apron.

'Will ye really, Rosetta?' he repeated.

The bowed head covered in the blue gingham nodded.

'Ye shan't regret it,' said the Deacon, solemnly and awkwardly laying his big hand, coarsened by labor, on her shoulder. 'Lord bless the little woman—an' our home. Our home,' he spoke softly as if to himself.

In about a fortnight Dr. Ollapod attended a quiet wedding. 'You've had a ro-mance at last, Rosetta. I might better say two of 'em,' whispered Mrs. Phlox, as she gave the bride a sisterly kiss. 'The adoration of the Professor was like things in a novel book, but marryin' a man whose goodness and farm can't be paralleled in the county is a romance that has sense in it, an' I wish you joy.'—*Our Continent.*

Sound Words.

The discovery of Capt. DeLong and his ten companions frozen to death in a heap in the Siberian wilderness, brings relief from overwrought anxiety, but no consolation. This sad ending of what was at best a foolish enterprise, should put an end to these useless, but fatal expeditions, in search of what, even if found, would not be of the slightest value. Though the Jeannette had crossed the pole and descended to southern seas on the other side of the earth, she would not have achieved the value of five cents to commerce or to science. The former could not have followed in her track, and the latter knows already all that is to be learned of the polar regions — that they are impenetrable mountains of ice.—*Ev. News.*

MRS. DAINTY AND HORSE TALK.—Mrs. Laura Dainty was reading out in Missouri, and at one of the receptions which frequently follow her readings a gentleman was present who was able to talk horse very fluently, but couldn't talk anything else. Not being able to talk much horse, the little lady was puzzled how to entertain the guest, until he casually mentioned that he formerly lived in a certain Michigan city. "Oh, yes," she exclaimed, "I read there only a few evenings ago and had a most charming audience." Then she added, "They have a very fine course there." And he, delighted to find a woman who knew something, enthusiastically replied, "Yes, they have as nice a mile track as there is in the state." The subsequent silence cast a gloom over the entire company.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

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THE COMMERCIAL.

Good Will to Man—Onward and Upward.

SATURDAY, May 20, 1882.

The President having signed the Chinese bill the doors are now closed for ten years. Wonder if they won't form a smuggling Association.

THE PROHIBITION REFORM CONVENTION,

Will be held June 28th at 10 A. M. in the city of Jackson. The Committee embracing a number of the leading temperance men in the state say: "To give opportunity for a full and free discussion of this vital question of the hour, we whose names are hereto appended unite in calling a convention of the Prohibition Reform party to meet on Wednesday, June 28, 1882, at Union Hall, in the city of Jackson, at 10 o'clock A. M. All who favor separate political action for the suppression of the rum traffic are cordially invited to attend and take part in the convention."

BEST FOR ALL PARTIES.

Pay the bonds at one fell swoop rather than have them hanging over us eight or ten years. On or before twenty years is still better at 4 per cent. As only $5000,00 and decreasing annual interest would scarcely be felt. The immediate rise of property would compensate for cutting off the tail behind the ears. On or before twenty years would however have just about as charming an effect. To do this would torment or oppress no one, and enable us to brag over nine tenths of the cities in the state. As there is not the remotest probability of adopting the first plan the *last remains* as the only saving plan. The middle course eight or ten years would damage us bad. Five or ten years means no further or little sale of property during all this time. It locks us up, and the key thrown away. Personal property now taxable would scat. Messrs. of the Council close up the thing at once and leave us unencumbered, which many seem to think impracticable or give us on or before twenty years, and receive the thanks of a large majority of tax payers.

IN A BOAT.

Our exchanges are furnishing the Detroit papers about all their state news now in the way of nominations for state congressional officers, including the U. S, Senator. We have received a bushel or less of marked papers. We are very sorry to not be able to contribute our quota. First, We are not the nominating conventions. Second, We are not poverty struck for great or distinguished men in this locality, but we have so few who are ambitious to serve their country in this direction. Third, Being in favor of civil reform and keeping good men in position, who have become familliar with the duties of their office, so long as they remain faithful and true, we can see no possible objection to the continuance of the men already at the helm from the governor down. Fourth, We are personally unacquainted with nearly every candidate named and if we have to take any party on outside testimony, we prefer to accept of those who already have a well known and tried record. We believe the cry against third or more termism is a humbug. The men who wield such clubs are demagogues of the first water. It is an anti democratic and anti common-sense howl. Ten times the amount of damage to the state and country is likely to arise from too often changes, the placing of new and inexperienced parties in public positions.

And hence our Metropolitan city cotemporary can see that we are in a boat so far as furnishing it pabulum in way of nominations and recomendation of candidates.

FOR CONGRESS.

The Hillsdale Standard remarks as follows concerning various candidates for Congressional honors in this district:

"At this early date the popular expression of the Republicans of the district cannot be foreshadowed. Those mentioned from Lenawee county as probable candidates are the Hon. J. K. Bois and the Hon. G. R. Moore; although not mentioned by the Times, Chas. R. Miller of Adrian is, we understand, no less spoken of in that vicinity. From Washtenaw the names of Messrs. Allen, Sawyer and Kinnie, are brought out to be chosen from that county. In the array of prominent names mentioned Senator Dickerman and ex-Senator Koon of Hillsdale are not least conspicuous in the list. While we are not authorized to speak of any of the above named able gentlemen as candidates at this time, we predict the second district will be ably represented in congress in the future as in the past, as by our present worthy and popular representative and his predecessors."

An old resident of Ypsilanti writes to the Detroit Post and Tribune a highly complimentary notice of Hon. E. P. Allen, urging him as an available candidate for the nomination.

We are not aware what are the views and feelings of the present incumbent, Hon. Edwin Willits, regarding a renomination, but his services have been such that, should he be willing to accept another term, the District would greatly honor itself by giving it to him. In fact, few Congressmen from Michigan have rendered so great service to their country, have done so much real beneficial work, or achieved so great distinction and taken so high rank as a hard working and useful member, as has Mr. Willits. This being so, if he is willing to serve, can the district afford to lose him, and is it wise to do it?—*Monroe Commercial.*

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REV. DR. MC CORKLE ON TEMPERANCE.

Last Sunday evening Dr. McCorkle gave one of the most discriminating and tremendous discourses upon this tremendous subject we have ever listened to. It placed the bible teaching upon this subject in its proper light, and a sensible view. It is one which our father, an earnest advocate of temperance, held in a practice of over half a century and to the end of life. These texts, PROV. 31, 6; I. TIMOTHY, 5, 23; PROV., 20, 1; PROV., 23, 31-32 were placed in juxtaposition:

"Give strong drink unto him that is ready to perish, and wine unto those that be of heavy hearts."

"Drink no longer water, but use a little wine for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities."

"Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise."

"Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his color in the cup, when it moveth itelf aright. At the last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder."

Here are clear and distinct utterances concerning the use and abuse of alcoholic stimulants.

The passages given and others of a similar character furnish no warrant for the use, except for medicinal purposes, of any kind or class of liquors whatever. Their use for other purposes is condemned in the strongest possible manner. It is undeniable that Timothy's stomach was out of order, suffering from some chronic ailment, and Paul was satisfied that, in Timothy's case, it would be well to test the virtues of a *little* wine. Nowhere is Paul found recommending its use only as a medicine, and to an invalid. It is convincing proof that Timothy was unacustomed to its use, was a temperance young man and so strongly imbedded in his temperance principles that it needed the fatherly advice of such a man as Paul to persuade him to take it at all, even as a medicine. To torture the recommendation into an apology for the use of intoxicants as a beverage is most unfair. As well take a physician's prescription as an argument for the general use of any poison.

There is an exactness of unity in the teaching of this passage and that of Proverbs, thirty-first chapter. There is a wonderful and marked oneness in inspiration from Genesis to Revelation. Drinking wine because of heaviness of heart, the outgrowth of disease, is very different from drinking it to produce lighthess of heart. Wine for a party suffering from a functional derangement or ready to perish, and for one in the ruddy glow of health, is as wide apart as possible. It furnishes no excuse in the latter case, for even the most moderate use. The same advice might safely be given by a physician in the case of the most fatal poisons known. Medicine is given to save life, not to destroy. If a physician should say to you, give wine to him that is ready to perish, you would not infer that it was a remedy to be used daily and indiscriminately. There is a clear distinction made between the use of wine as a remedy in extreme cases and as a daily beverage. The last use is condemned in the strongest possible terms, and its effects described as terribly debasing and destructive to body and soul. The stmulating effect of wine is here denoted, its medicinal quality in starting into new life, imparting temporary aid to the depressed physical organism so as to give a fresh lease to nature or allow remedial agents to have their proper effect. When this temporary aid has been imparted under the direction of a wise physician, or in the direst extremity without one, its use is to be discontinued as in the use of a tonic, quinine for instance. Solomon, aware of its terrible effects as a beverage, says administer it only to the heavy of heart and to him that is ready to perish. Such a discrimination made in our day would save a multitude of horrors, woes unutterable. We learn that its proper use is medicinal and its use in any other form is forbidden in the bible.

The Doctor then waded in heavily upon the terrible results involved in its indiscriminate use as a beverage. No language can be stronger than that found in the bible condemning its use as a beverage. Every person in health posesses a normal condition or level. Falling below, the physical man becomes feeb'e and lethargic, and unless relieved, dissolution follows. Rising above this plane the vital powers are intensified and wear out prematurely. The trembling step, the halting gait, the palsied hand, are admonitory of sudden decay and death. Alcohol is not a nutriment nor a tonic. It is a pure stimulant and produces a temporary exaltation of the vital activity so that when, in diseases, the system is below its normal plane, it tends to lift it up to that plane, and it may be beneficially used for this purpose and this only. To the habitual drinker, its remedial or beneficial effects are of no sort of account, a myth. Moderate daily drinking is deceptive, for all drinking that results in an excelleration of the vital organs is excessive. Exactly at this point is the line to be drawn between normal activity and intemperance.

The fruits of moderate drinking are, almost invariably a drunkard's fate, destructive to correct morals and a religious life. The drinker transgresses every law of his own being, knowingly tramples on the laws of God, yielding himself to madness and imbecility, a blotch and a curse to humanity. What shall be said of the man who has sworn at the altar to love and cherish his wife and support her and their children, suffering himself to acquire a disgusting appetite and disregarding the most solemn vows?

This man not only owes to his family sacred duties, but to society the full exercise of his intellectuual and social powers, and thus contribute to elevate the moral standing and promote the purity of society. The drunkard is a bankrupt in society and doing all he can to degenerate it.

And this man is a citizen and under the protection of civil law, and yet only a consumer and destroyer, an idler and not a worker, a breaker of law and not a supporter of it. He necessitates alms houses, insane asylums penetentiaries, and increases enormously legislation and taxes. By creating disorder he depreciates his neighbor's property. But for this demon he would be a kind husband, father and a good citizen. He has gone to a drunkard's grave.

"Speak no harsh words over that grave. He did much harm and little good, but, by nature, he was generous, and but for the men who put the bottle to his mouth might have escaped the fate of the drunkard. Do you say a disgusting carcass is hidden there? It was a temple of God's building; it contained a soul for which the Son of God offered his blood; and in that temple the Holy Ghost would gladly have taken up His abode. Tread not rudely upon that mound of earth. It covers a father's pride, a mother's joy, a wife's love and tears, the dependence and disappointment of children. Drop a tear upon it and leave him to his God. But do not forget that others are walking in the same path in which he walked, and hurrying to the same end that he has reached.

INFERENCES.

"The only true ground is total abstinence. Using intoxicating drinks *only* as a medicine.

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"Since all interests are harmed by the use of liquors. No one is meddling with other men's affairs who raises his voice against it. Humanity, benevolence, patriotism, christianity *demand* our interference."

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It is said that President Arthur now expresses himself perfectly satisfied with his Cabinet. He retains only one of Mr. Garfield's chosen advisers; that one is Secretary Lincoln. As it now stands, the heads of the several departmeuts are: F. T. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, Secretary of State; J. G. Folger, of New York, Secretary of the Treasury; Robert T. Lincoln, of Illinois, Secretary of War; H. M. Teller, of Colorado, Secretary of the interior; W. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, Secretary of the Navy; B. H. Brewster of Pennsylvania, Attorney General; T. O. Howe, of Wisconsin, Postmaster General. It is a strong cabinet, and the most of the members are in sympathy with the President on all questions. Mr. Arthur has kept his own counsel, and has taken his time to make his appointments, and every man was selected after mature deliberation. None of them are said to be ambitious politicians save Wm. E. Chandler, and his ambition is possibly limited by his present success if it is not, it certainly ought to be. —*Post and Tribune.*

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OATS	50	@	52
BEANS	2 50	@	2 75
CLOVER SEED	4 25	@	4 50
TIMOTHY		—	2 75
POTATOES	1 00	@	1 25
APPLES, per bbl	3 00	—	3 50
HONEY, cap	18	—	20
CHEESE	14	—	16
BUTTER, Fancy in tubs	18	—	20
EGGS, per doz	12	—	14
CHICKENS, per lb Spring	9	—	10
TURKEYS, " "	11	—	12
PORK, per cwt	7 50	—	8 50
" in bbls	17 05	—	
LARD	12	—	14
HAMS	2	—	13
BEEF, in quarter	5	—	5¼
TALLOW		—	6¼
GREEN HIDES	6½	—	7
CURED "	9	—	
DEACON SKINS	25	—	40
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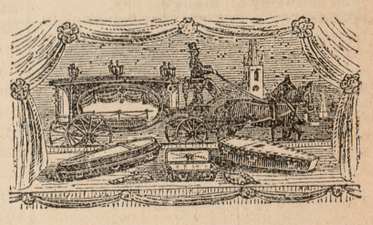

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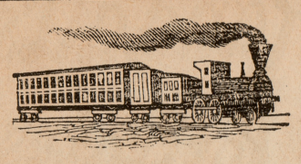

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.
TIME TABLE, MARCH 26, 1882.

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	* Mail.	*Day Express	*Jackson Express	*Gr. Rap. Express	Express except Saturday.	‡Pacific Express	
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Detroit---Lv	7 00	9 35	5 55	4 05	8 00	9 50	
Wayne Junc	7 55	10 24	6 42	4 46	8 45	10 40	
Ypsilanti ---	8 23	10 48	7 05	5 05	9 08	11 02	
Ann Arbor--	8 45	11 00	7 24	5 22	9 25	11 17	
Chelsea ----	9 25	-----	8 05	5 52	10 00	----	
JacksonJunc	10 10	P.M.	8 55			A.M.	
Jackson ----	10 20	12 15	9 00	6 55	11 05	12 45	
	P.M.				A.M.		
Chicago--Ar.	6 50	7 40		----	7 30	8 00	

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	* Mail.	* Day Express	Jackson Accomo.	*Gr. R. & D. Expr's	‡Atlantic Express	Night Express except Sat	
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A. M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Chicago--Lv	7 00	9 00	----	----	5 15	9 10	
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	A.M.	
Jackson-----	3 35	4 05	7 05	9 30	12 40	5 00	
Chelsea-----	4 28	-----	7 50	10 07	----	5 50	
Ann Arbor--	5 22	5 07	8 25	10 34	2 04	6 25	
Ypsilanti----	5 38	5 23	8 43	10 48	2 20	6 41	
Wayne Junc	6 02	5 45	9 08	11 08	2 44	7 05	
Detroit ---Ar	6 50	6 30	10 00	11 50	3 35	8 00	

New York Express, leaves Chicago, 3-30 p.m.; Jackson 9-28; Ypsilanti, 10-41; Detroit, 11-40.

The Chicago Express leaves Detroit at 1-20 p. m, reaches Ypsilanti at 2-20, Ann Arbor 2-34. Jackson 3-38 and Chicago 10-10.

*Sunday excepted. ‡Saturday and Sunday excepted. †Daily.

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Way Ft.	Ex & Mail.	STATIONS.	Ex & Mail.	Way Ft.
A.M.	A.M.	Leave. Arrive.	P.M.	P.M.
7 00	9 15	----Ypsilanti ---	5 55	5 15
7 40	9 34	----Pittsfield ---	5 39	4 40
8 27	9 45	----- Saline-----	5 29	4 10
9 50	10 23	-- Manchester --	4 55	2 50
P.M. 3 00	12 05	--- Hillsdale----	3 25	8 30 A.M.
-----	8 00	Ar Chicago Dp	7 55	A.M.
-----	5 35	Ar Toledo Dp	10 50	-----
-----	10 10	Ar Cleveland Dp	7 00	-----
A.M. -----	3 55	Ar Buffalo Dp	12 45	-----

Trains run by Columbus time,

Way Freight from Ypsilanti will run Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays.

Way Freight to Ypsilanti will run Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

All other trains run daily except Sunday.

COUNTY ITEMS.

SALINE.

Mr. Philo Hall of Detroit spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. P. M. Eaton is visiting Mrs. McCullough in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Shier of Hudson has been visiting in Saline the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Humphrey of Detroit spent the Sabbath with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mills.

Col. Crandall addressed the reform club at Union hall Sunday evening, and Monday evening gave his lecture on "True Grit." A good speaker.

From the Saline Observer.

A Motherly Cat. Mr. Ulsafer, south of this place, has a cat which a few weeks since had the misfortune to loose her family of four kittens, which sadly grieved her. About the same time a little son of Mr. U., found a nest of red squirrels in the woods, which he brought home and placed near the cat. Strange to say she at once adopted them and has since nursed and cared for them as faithful as though they were her own kittens.

From the Argus

Judge Beakes continues feeble; is very weak and visitors are not permitted to see him. It is with sadness we chronicle the statement, but his wide circle of friends at home and abroad who may desire to learn true condition will hear with heartfelt sorrow that there are few or no hopes of recovery.

A good story is related of a man named Fletcher residing in Ypsilanti, supposed to be quite well-to-do. Last year he convinced the supervisor of his district that he was not taxable because he hadn't any property. When his name appeared on the bonds of several applicants for license the common council apprised of his statement to the assessor, refused to accept him as a competent bondsman.

Dr. Maclean performed a very successful operation in ovariotomy before his class yesterday upon a lady from Rome, N, Y., 62 years of age. Several medical gentlemen in attendance upon the state convention at Ypsilanti were present by invitation to witness this delicate surgical act. Case No. 2 expected to follow was not performed on account of an unexpected appearance of nature's exaction. The operation occupied thirty minutes and the patient, under the influence of anaesthetics, did not realize but little if any pain during the severe trial. Every seat in the amphitheatre was occupied by male and female students, except a few visitors, the editor who has been desirous of witnessing a similar operation, being among those privileged. The tumor held at least a gallon of liquid of an urinary character. The class cheered the Dr. at the close of the operation. It was a comparatively easy case, if such cases can be so characterized, and Dr. Maclean announced that he saw no reason why she would not recover. Among the large number of these difficult cases operated upon for the benefit of classes he has lost but few. The most of them are given up by local physicians and the unfortunates come to our University as a last resort, hoping, through the skill of our surgeons to secure a further lease of life.

CIRCUIT COURT.

P. K. Quicksott vs. Everetta Quicksott. Divorced on grounds of Cruelty. Ypsilantians.

Conrad Grieshaber vs. Agnes Grieshaber. Divorced on grounds of desertion. Augusta.

Milan Leader.

A passenger on the W. St. L. & P Ry. was robbed of $60 by three sharpers, last Friday morning, between Adrian and Milan. When the train arrived at Milan they gave their victim the slip by getting off on the opposite side from the platform as the train was moving out, leaving the robbed man on the train, who, on finding the sharpers were not on, returned to Milan from the next station, and placed his case before Deputy Sheriff, Jos. Gauntlett, who, with A. E. Gardner to assist him, started in pursuit. The thieves were tracked by Deputy Sheriff Gauntlett to the house of Ed. Draper, who lives two miles north of Milan, where the sheriff was misled by the false statements of Draper's wife, she stating that her husband had gone to Mooreville, and alone, when, in fact, he had taken the thieves to Ypsilanti, for which he was well paid by them. After going several miles and getting no trace of the thieves, Mr. Gauntlett struck their trail pointing toward Ypsilanti, where he found Draper, who at first denied all knowledge of the thieves, but finally owned that they had taken dinner at his house, and that arrrngements had been made there for him to take them to Ypsilanti with his team. Draper made a pretense of assisting in looking the thieves up, but without success; but there is no one so blind as those who will not see, and the thieves escaped thereby. Had not the sheriff been purposely misled by Mrs. Draper, the thieves would have been taken before they reached Ypsilanti.

From the Courier.

There are in Washtenaw county 12,737 children in the school census; the number included in the apportionment, 12,699; and the amount apportioned $15,645.76, or $1.24 per head.

From the Register.

In the case of the People vs. Hugh Townsend, the Lodi school teacher charged with assault and battery, the defendant was discharged yesterday upon payment of costs $15.80.

The following additional jurymen were drawn on Saturday: John C. Bird, Ann Arbor town; L. C. Wallington, Ypsilanti; Frederick Cleveland, Ypsilanti.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

H. D. Platt to Jas. M. Chidester, property in Ypsilanti, $200.

Nancy Welch by heirs to Ella Pomeroy lot 67 Cross & Bagley's add, Ypsilanti, $775.

Sherman Hinckley to Harriet S. Platt, lot 156 and then 1-2 of lot 155 Ypsilanti, $1,000.

Leander J. LeBarorn to Sally DeBaron, 12 acres sec 8 Yoak. $600.

John G. Crane to Frederick W. Cleveland, lot 40 Stuck's add Ypsilanti, $1,100.

A. M. Clark to F. C. Crittenden, (quitclaim: 20 acres, section 20, Augusta; $300.

Nancy Welch, by heirs, to Ellen A. Pomeroy, Ypsilanti, lot; $775.

Leander DeBaron to Sally DeBaron, 12 acres, section 7, York; $600.

THE DELECTABLE CIGARETTE.

I ran across a cigarette factory the other day. Whew! I wouldn't write—or, rather, you wouldn't dare print what I saw. Dirty butts of cigars fresh from the filth of the muddy streets are the cleanest and nicest of the material used in compiling these precious roads to ruin. I came down on a Madison Avenue car this evening, and on the tail end there were three little chaps, the oldest about 14. Each was smoking a cigarette, and spat his little life away. I ventured to ask if they enjoyed the odor. They said they did. And the taste? Certainly. On inquiring I found they had a well-known brand of cigarette noted for its "opium soaks," and its terrible smell when burning. Poor little devils. They can't last long. They were pale and sickly, puny and offensive. What kind of men will they make? Men! They're men already in their own eyes. They and a majority of our little lads are full of the slang of the day, up in all catches, and abundantly able to hold up their end of a conversation. I subsequently saw these three boys in Niblo's Garden. It would have done you good to hear them talk. A blind man might reasonably think he was listening to three old men. Nothing was new. They had seen it all before, and better done at that. Down went the curtain, out went the boys, but before they felt the first breath of the fresh air from the street, each puny hand held a cigarette to the vile-smelling mouth, and puff! puff! they sickened everybody in their vicinity. This is an old grievance of mine, and I don't care to bore you with it, but I feel it keenly.

Day by day vice grows stronger. There was a time when cigarette smoking was confined almost entirely to Cubans, who knew what good tobacco was and made their own cigarettes. Gradually the habit spread. Dealers followed suit. Makers became unscrupulous. Little dirty boys were sent out to pick up cigar stumps. Other equally disgusting material was also utilized. Opium was made to do duty. Cheap paper took the place of rice paper. I wish these boys could see the stuff their paper is made from! Wouldn't it turn their little stomachs? I trow, I trow. The cheap paper, the old stumps, the opium, and chemicals used to make them "strong" deserved to be shown up. Parents have no influence with their sons. Why not? Because they smoke cigars or pipes themselves. The boys charge all the good advice they get to their father's desire to keep them down. There is but one way to deal with American boys. Reason with them through their eyes. If every nicotined stomach was made public, if every time a fellow died of too much cigarette the fact was made known, if the proud boys could be shown a rag factory and stump grindery, it seems to me the cigarette business would be wound up very soon. —*Philadelphia Times.*

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That Dunk's Camphorated Arnica is an article that you all should have in your house. It is the only legitimate preparation in the market and it is not gotten up to humbug the people, nor is it an article of accident or chance, but it is the final product of years of study. The severe and rough tests that it has been put to for the last six years proves it has no superior as a liniment for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Chilblains, Frost Bites, Burns, Scalds, Sprains, Bruises, Salt Rheum, Sore Throat, Pains in the Side, Chest or Back, or for anythlng where a liniment is required. Sold by all druggists. Fifty cents per bottle.

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Ye Thrushes sweeter than the rest
Join the melody of spring.

Sing Blue-birds in the hollow tree
And Catbirds in your mellow glee
Sing Sparrows warble blithe and free
Your winsome songs of praise,
When Quails are piping on the lea.
On glorious summer days.

The Bluejays mind us of Rob-roy
They often rob and then destroy
Bringing sorrow to the bowers of joy
Ye rascals robed in blue
We almost wish the shooting boy
With shot would riddle you.

Sing warblers at the dawning hour's
Melodeous notes in sunny bowers
O'er velvet lawns and blooming flowers.
When new glory's in the sky
And raise those weary hearts of ours
To a grander life on high.

We are better for your choral song
You make our hope and gladness strong
The spirit land comes nearer home
Thanks to the tuneful birds.
They help to banish grief and wrong
Without reproving words.

LAMBIE.

What Happened to

MR. JOSEPH BEACH.

Stone in the Kidney Expelled after Using Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" About two Weeks.

One of the most remarkable cases that has ever been brought to the notice of the public is that of Mr. J. S. Beach, of Stone Bridge, Ulster Co. N. Y. Mr. Beach had suffered since Oct. 18th, 1874, from the presence of Calculus or Stone in the right Kidney. No less than seven physicians were employed at different times, to whom Mr. Beach paid hundreds of dollars for medical treatment, with only temporary relief for his agony.

By the urgent solicitations of his friends he was induced to try Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy"—experienced a marked improvement from the first day he began to use the medicine: on the 15 of September he voided a stone as large as could be passed through the natural channel.

Mr. Beach concludes a long letter to Dr. Kennedy by saying: "It will always afford me pleasure to recommend the "Favorite Remedy" to those who may be suffering from difficulties of the kidneys and bladder, or any disorders arising from an impure state of the blood. The "Favorite Remedy" sold by all druggists. The Doctor's only address is Rondout, New York. 947-4-w

A bill has been introduced into U. S. Senate proposing a woman suffrage amendment to the constitution.

"GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY" for all scrofulous and virulent blood-poisons, is specific. By druggists.

If Colonel Bob Ingersoll only worshiped Jehovah as he does "the plumed knight," and served the Lord as faithfully as he does the Star Route thieves, he would not be more "bigoted" and "superstitious" than the orthodox people he lampoons and denounces.—*Free Press.*

Thousands of women have been entirely cured of the most stubborn cases of female weakness by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Ave., Lynn Mass., for pamphlets.

No Good Templar lodge is worthy the name which does not labor first, last and always to promote temperance. Sociality, acquaintance and enjoyment are all very well, and are worthy objects; but the great cause of human progress and reform should never be lost sight of or let go for a moment.—*Good Templar.*

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Mr. F. J. Cary, Columbus, O., writes: "I tried Brown's Iron Bitters with my little girl, whose blood seemed poisoned, her skin being constantly covered with pimples and sores. It has cured her completely and all trace of impure blood in her system has entirely disappeared."

"I am glad the Methodist Church of the United States in nearly all its conferences has passed resolutions against this habit, and it is time that we had an anti-tobacco reform in the Presbyterian Church, and the Episcopal Church, and Baptist Church, and the Congregational Church.—*The Methodist.*

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Emerson was the ninth of a line of ministers, counting ancestors on both sides. The family genealogy is traced back to the beginning of the thirteenth century.

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Mrs. W. J. Lang, Bethany, Ont., states that for fifteen months she was troubled with a disease in the ear, causing entire deafness. In ten minutes after using THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL she found relief, and in a short time she was entirely cured and her hearing restored.

The reformation of confirmed drunkards is regarded by the Rev. Dr. Cuyler as well nigh impossible. The hope of the temperance cause, he thinks, lies in training the young to total abstinence, and he would make this a feature of Sunday School teaching.

An Important Discovery

Has been made whereby a successful vegetable combination has been introduced, which acts upon the bowels, the liver and the kidneys, and at the same time imparts strength and vitality to the entire system. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS constitute this important discovery. Price $1.

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Twenty years ago a member of Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet said to a delegation with a grievance: "If you came to Washington to tell us that our Indian system is a sink of iniquity and a disgrace to the nation, we all know it." From that day down to the present time the variations in the Indian policy of the United States have merely been variations between the extreme of sly dishonesty and the extreme of diabolical cruelty. The Indians have been swindled in the name of religion, plundered in the name of progress, and butchered in the name of civilization.

What is Behind it?

Dr. David Kennedy of Rondout, N. Y., Proprietor of the great medicine, called "Favorite Remedy," would have but little confidence to recommend the public to buy and use it if his own name were not behind it. But the fact that he has staked his reputation upon it ought to be, and is, better the than a thousand cheep certificates—in the opinion of the people. If you are sick with any complaint of the Blood, Kidneys, or liver, invest One Dollar in the "Favorite Remedy" and it will speak for itself. 947-2-w

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Said a bystander to an old man, busily engaged in setting out young trees. "My old friend, why are you planting trees? You will not live to gather the fruit." As the veteran of 80 mopped the sweat from his brow, he replied: 'Somebody planted trees for me before I was born.' The man or woman who has no desire and makes no effort to add to the beauty and comforts of the world, physically and morally, has a low appreciation of life's duties and privileges.

Clear head and voice, easy breathing, sweet breath, perfect smell, taste and hearing, no cough, no distress. These are conditions brought about in catarrh by the use of Sanford's Radical Cure. Complete treatment for $1. May

Pluck in Prineiple. Persistence is the larger part of any virtue. Take grit out of integrity and your integrity is gone.

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New, quick, complete cure in 4 days, urinary affections, smartings, frequent or difficult urination, kidney diseases. $1. at druggists. Mich. Depot, JAMES E. DAVIS & CO., Detroit Mich. 931-1y-alt.

The man who has done the meanest thing ever recorded against a human being is said by a Fargo newspaper to live in Grand Forks. The Herald of the latter place published a large special edition for general distribution, and many enterprising citizens of the Fork paid handsomely for advertising space to help the scheme along. The man who did the the meanest thing ever recorded against a human being, according to the Fargo code of morals, is said to have purchased a large number of copies, and, having his name printed on slips the width of the newspaper columns, pasted them over the name of a merchant who had a flaming advertisement of a similar business, and then sent the papers East with his compliments.

From Hamilton.—A gentleman writes: "I have suffered for over four years with night losses and general weakness, caused by abuse. I had tried all the advertised medicines, and a number of eminent doctors, and I found no relief or benefit. I have used six boxes of Magnetic Medicine, and am entirely restored." See advertisement in another column. May.

ZACH. CHANDLER A DAY AHEAD.

A day or two after the election of 1876 the late F. W. Soughton stauntered into the rooms of the Republican headquarters in New York. He was very much depressed, and thought the elections had gone against the Republicans. He asked Zach. Chandler chairman of the commitee, what he thought of the result. "Why, we've won, of course," said Zack. "But what do you think of Florida? continued Stoughton; "are you sure of Florida?" "Yes, I am sure of Florida; we have won the victory and we shall keep it," said Chandler. "But they say that Mr. Tilden has sent a represenative to Florida, and I think our interest needs care," rejoined Stoughton. "Do they? said Chandler; "when do they say Gov. Tilden's man started?" "This morning," was the reply. "Well," said Chandler, brightening the cigar by an extra puff, "all I have to say is that if Mr. Tilden's man gets to Florida before mine does he will have to travel faster than any express train ever went. My man left yesterday.

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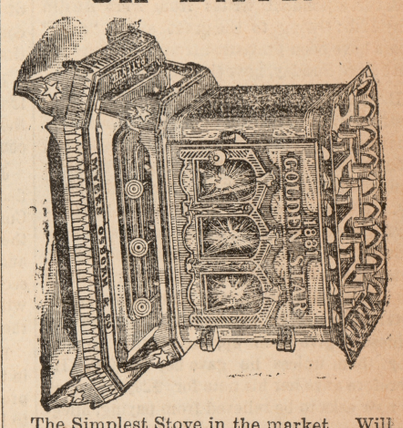

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By mortgage bearing date October 20th, A. D., 1877, and recorded in the office of the Register of deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, on the 22nd day of October, A. D., 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M., in liber 56 of mortgages, on page 102, Isaac B. Gilbert and Rhoda M. Gilbert, his wife, duly mortgaged to Ann Mariott, "All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the city of Ypsilanti, in the county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: —

Commencing at the north-west corner of land described in quit claim deed bearing date the 26th day of August, 1874, made by Newell Newton and wife to George C. Bannan, running thence southerly on the west line of land described in said quit claim deed to line between French claims six hundred and ninety (690) and six hundred and ninety-one (691), thence westerly on said line between said French claims 690 and 691 to the east line of land conveyed by A. S. Clark and wife to Joseph Bickford by deed dated March 21st, 1859, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county in liber 44 of deeds on page 757, thence northerly along said east line to the south line of the Chicago road, so called, thence easterly to the place of beginning."

The said mortgage expressly provides that should any default be made in the payment of the interest mentioned therein, or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of ninety days, then the principal sum of one thousand dollars with all arreages of interest shall, at the option of the mortgagee, her executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately.

Default has been made for more than ninety days in the payment of two installments of interest, due on the 20th days of October, in the years 1880 and 1881; and by means of such default, and at the election of said mortgagee, the said principal sum secured by said mortgage, with all arrearages of interest thereon, has become due and payable, and the power of sale therein contained has become operative.

There is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of eleven hundred and ninety-eight dollars and seventy-five hundredths dollars, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; now therefore notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein (and above) described, or so mnch thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage at the date of said sale, together with the costs and expenses of this foreclosure, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday, the 13th day of June A. D., 1882, at nine o'clock and fifteen minutes, in the forenoon of said day, at the south front door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county.)

E. P. ALLEN, Attorney for Mortgagee. ANN MARIOTT, Mortgagee.
Dated March 18th, 1882, 939

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

MICHIGAN.

Irwin Mann of Carmel township, Eaton Co., was married on the 7th inst., and to the surrise of everybedy, on the 10th he committed uicide by hanging.

W. H. Wright, a Grand Rapids insurance agent, was found dead in bed at a hotel in Cedar Springs on the 11th. He had been troubled with asthma several years.

The common council of West Bay City have accepted the preposition of the Swift Electric Light company to light the streets for one year.

W. H. Brearley has just lost a fine parrot by poison from eating Japonica blossoms. The parrot was a very remarkable talker, calling each member of the family by name.

Wm. B. Freleigh, Grand Rapids agent of the Adams express company, has been arrested for embezzling about $700 of the company's money.

Harry M. Thayer, of Elba township, near Ithaca, has been arrested for passing counterfeit money. Thirty-eight bogus $1 pieces were found in his satchel and upon his person.

Mr. James Birney of Bay City, for six years past American minister to the court of Holland, and whose resignation has been recently accepted by the President, is in New York en route home.

A terrible gale, northeast, has been blowing at East Tawas three days; several craft are sheltered there. The Champion got her raft in but the Sweepstakes lost her raft.

F. H. Lester, G. Kuhn, George Ernst, Rob't Brown, Mrs. Knox, etc., of Mendon, have all been sufferers by a heavy fire in that place. Mrs. Herman, milliner, lost her clothing, a gold watch, and $200 in money, with no insurance. The fire will be a sad blow to Mendon.

J. Maurice Finn of Grayling, while out on School Section lake one evening last week, "speared a duck" weighing 2½ pounds.

It is believed that Hazelton the Glencoe and Pinconning defaulter committed suicide in Tennessee.

Lyman T. Kinney, of Grand Rapids, has purchased a tract of 240 acres of pine land in Kent Co. from which he expects to get 20,000,000 star shingles. Mr. Kinney has also purchased 3,000 acres of oak and hemlock lands near Woodville, where he has extensive lumber interests.

Otis Baker's farm house on Grand Prairie burned with loss of nearly $3,000.

Mrs. Annie Prosser committed suicide by drowning herself in Kalamazoo river at Battle Creek. Mortification over the Bathrick scandal had caused insanity.

Henry Gamage, a moneyed man of London, England, has just purchased land in Portland for the firm of Gamage & Co., who will, it is reported, begin the manufacture of bone and blood manure, matches, boot blacking, stove polish, and calcine. The company expect to employ about 300 hands within a year, but begin work immediately.

Considerable dissatisfaction appears among the Muskegon strikers against Cook and De Long, who are charged with being in the way of a settlement. The booming company and mill owners refuse to hold any consultation with either of them. There is considerable suffering among the strikers, and many have to take shelter in their hall and receive rations from the relief committee. In order to prevent a quorum at the last meeting of the council the mayor and his four aldermen stayed away.

A correspondent writes from Port Austin May 12th: Owing to the great storm, "daily" boats have been prevented from reaching this port since Sunday, now six days.

B. A. Onley of Paw Paw has filed a bill to restrain Jane Ann Manley of Hartford, and Charles S. May of Kalamazoo, her attorney, from disposing of or attempting to collect a $20,000 note held by the said Jane Ann Manley. While visiting her at her house in Hartford, December 4, 1881, Onley says that she removed from a basket nearly $80,000 of money, notes and mortgages which he had in it, filling his basket with chips, and that when he discovered his loss, he demanded them, and she refused to give them up, threatening to destroy them unless he gave her $20,000. He therefore gave her his note for $20,000, which he now asks to be relieved from paying, alleging duress. Onley is a very wealthy man and it is reported a large sized scandal will result in this suit.

The sheriff of Lenawee county and the Adrian authorities join in the offer of a reward of $3,000 for the apprehension of Navin. The county offers $2,000 and the city $1,000.

The strike of the log-boom men at Muskegon, is proving a serious injury to the Chicago lumber market, and a loss to the vessels engaged in carrying lumber.

Dan'l Galbraith of East Tawas, has buried three children of diphtheria within a week. His wife and another child are dangerously ill.

Burglars entered the Hurd house saloon, Jackson, and decamped with $40 and saloon sundries.

The house bill providing for new public buildings in Detroit was favorably passed upon Monday and goes to the senate.

Brewer's moulding room, Tecumseh, was badly damaged by fire on Sunday.

Harmon Nash, proprietor of Nash's Ax Factory at Lowell, had the misfortune Monday to lose his right hand while assisting some of his men who were at work with a buzz saw in his factory. Mr. Nash who is express agent and a Knight Templar had but just returned from Detroit, where he had attended the recent conclave as one of the DeMolai Commandery.

Owing to the cold weather corn planted beore the rain has rotted in the grou and in many cases will need to be replante

Dr. J. N. Hollywood, implicated in the Martha Whitla murder case, has been released on $10,000 bail.

Maj. Gen. J. G. Barnard, U. S. A., died at the Russel House, Detroit, Sunday. His remains were taken to Sheffield, Mass., for burial.

Ex-President Grant has engaged rooms at the Russel House upon the occasion of the soldiers' reunion in Detroit next month.

Chas. Hollis, while adjusting a saw in Hannah, Lay & Co.'s shingle mill, Traverse City, fell and had his leg nearly severed before he was rescued. The bone was also broken in the fall and amputation was resorted to. His recovery is doubtful.

Fruit is reported badly injured all over Michigan by the heavy frosts of May 15th.

Mrs. Eva Humphrey of Adrian committed suicide by drowning in the Maumee at Toledo. She lately went to Toledo, and it was at her house that the wife and baby of Tom Navin were reported found a few weeks ago.

Fred. Gardner, a switchman on the M. C. R. R. at Niles, was run over by the cars and lost a leg near the hip, He will probably die. He leaves a wife and seven children.

Wall & Sipley' saw mill at Nirvani, near Reed City, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday.

A fire in East Saginaw Tuesday afternoon in the large planing mill of Jessie Hoyt, destroyed six dry kilns and 300,000 feet of lumber. Loss $75,000. No insurance.

Kinney, Howe & Co.'s hardware store at Lawton was burglarized of goods this week.

A. X. Cary of Grand Rapids died on the 16th. In 1865 he was a passenger on the steamer Collins, between Cleveland and Detroit, when the boat took fire and burned to the water's edge. Taking a stool he jumped into the lake nd floated until picked up by a passing boat. He was a delegate to the Chicago convention of 1860, which nominated Lincoln.

The Biddle House, Detroit, is to be opened the first of June on a reported five years' lease.

The Muskegon strike, it is thought, is nearly at an end. Several mills are running eleven hours.

The barn of Wright & Knowlton, Saginaw City, burned Tuesday night with six horses. Loss $4,000.

Four deaths from small pox are reported in East Saginaw.

James D. Parrent, charged with killing Wm. Michie near Pinconning last March, has been convicted in Bay City courts of murder in the first degree.

The steamship Onoko is making the trip of the lakes with 100,000 bushels of corn, the largest cargo ever carried by one of the lake ships.

George Moore, from Hamilton, Ont. shot himself in the head, in the presence of a large number of people on Fort street, Detroit. It is not known whether the wound is fatal. No clue to the reason why.

MISCELLANEOUS.

It is rumored that Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt's trip abroad is partly for the purpose of outbidding the Grand Trunk, thus defeating the fusion with the G. W. R. R. before the details are perfected.

Mrs. Mason made a personal appeal to the President for the pardon of the imprisoned sergeant.

Mrs. Scoville objects to her husband's interference in what she considers to be her own affairs. It is suggested by the papers that if he doesn't let her have her way she may tell the public what she knows about him.

Another terible cyclone is reported in Louisiana near Vienna. Everything was swept off McElroy's plantation, one man and two children killed. In Arcadia a large number of persons were seriously hurt, stock killed and great damage of all kinds. In New York city the wind blew at the rate of 45 miles an hour and several trees were blown down in Central Park.

A bill is to come up in the House recommending that letter postage be reduced to two cents.

The Keystone Rubber Works have burned at a loss of $80,000. Two hundred operatives are thrown out of employment.

A large part of Hastings, Ont., has just burned at a loss of $60,000.

Edw. W. Kingsland, secretary and treasurer of the Provident savings banks, Jersey City, committed suicide by shooting himself five times.

Last week $3,350,000 gold went to Europe from New York. European financiers say there is a balance of $50,000,000 yet against this country.

J. R. Bothwell, an absconding defaulter who fled from New York, is in Salt Lake City, Utah. Chas. H. Hinchman of Philadelphia, said to be the largest stockholder of the Starmont mine, and M. S. Van Renssaeller of New York, its secretary, with warrants for his arrest, are with him. Bothwell agrees to return east with them and prove that the mines owe him.

Roger Tichborne, the California claimant, is in San Francisco, and has three witnesses to prove that he is "Sir Roger." He will soon go to Paris to confer with Father Lefebuan preparatory to another legal contest for the famous estate.

Owing to the suicide of the treasurer there has been a hsavy run on the Provident Savings bank, Jersey City. The bank, however, is said by its officers to be in good condition.

Investigation into the affairs of the First National Bank, Buffalo, shows a long continued system of embezzlement.

Evansville, Ind., will be lighted by the Brush electric light. There will be six towers 250 feet high.

Judgment has been filed against the estate of Cornelius J. Vanderbilt for $57,480, obtained in the New York supreme court by Zachariah E. Simmonds, a lottery man.

Mrs. Garfield writes to Senator Sherman a characteristically beautiful acknowledgment of the receipt of the pension granted for her late husband's sake.

A fire in Minneapolis has just destroyed a block of 7 stores on South Washington Ave. A. Cohen dry goods, Wickland and Bennett & Brown liquors, are among the heaviest losers.

The four judges before whom the bill of exceptions in the Guiteau case was argued have failed to agree. The court is equally divided and argument will be ordered before five judges.

Dr. Joseph D. Barnes, Washington, Acting Assistant Surgeon United Statee Army, a son of Surgeon-General Joseph K. Barnes, United States Army, died suddenly on the 13th, of dropsy of the heart.

Ex-Public Printer Defrees is lying dangerously ill in Washington. His physicians say that his death is likely to occur at any moment.

A Des Moines, Iowa, journalist has sued the Chicago Herald for $25,000 damages for libel.

Ross offers to row Hanlan for $5,000.

Hon. C. C. Washburne. ex-member of congress from Wisconsin died on the 14th at Eureka Springs, Ark.

Immense damage is reported from the recent cyclone in Arkansas. In Hot Springs and vicinity alone the estimate is $150,000. The railroad track is washed away for miles and three iron bridges were demolished.

It has been ascertained that certain officials who attended the Garfield obsequies and rode on free passes, have also presented bills for railroad fare.

A sail boat under Captain Bucklin and two sons on Lake Calumet was capsized on Sunday and all the occupants drowned. Among the number were John Smith, foreman of the car department at Pullman and nine of his men. H. F. Moore and C. F. Pierce, carpenters from Blissfield, Mich., were among the drowned.

Nine Independent Democrats of Georgia have issued a circular urging Alex. Stephens for governor.

Robt. Kilworth of Dayton, O., returning from England, where he had secured $25,000, died suddenly aboard the Abyssinia, while at New York quarantine.

As James Gordon Bennett's new yacht Namouna was leaving the Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard for New York, owing to the strong wind and tide she ran into a wharf, displacing two blocks of stone from the wall and causing a leak near the vessel's bow. The yecht being divided into watertight compartments, the accident caused no delay.

It is generally understood that the judges are unanimous in over-ruling the exceptions in the Guiteau case and that the criminal will hang, June 30.

The Schuylkill is on the rampage and water is over the road to Fairmouth Park, Philadelphia. Acres of wharves and lumber yards on the Delaware also are under water.

At the Minnesota state university a student, pursued by a professor, drew a revolver, for effect. The professor promptly drew his revolver and the student was slightly wounded.

The slaughter house of a beef canning company, a little north of the National stock yards in East St. Louis, used for the manufacture of the offall of the concern into fertilizer was burned on the 16th at a loss of $75,000 largely to insurance companies.

A Texan named Brossius and a Pennsylvanian named Edmundson are bulletined as heirs to $33,000,000, which the German government holds in trust for them.

The wreck of the Pliny off Long Branch has proved a god send to the lovers of coffee, as the cargo of several thousand sacks was carried inland with the tide, and thousands of residents in the vicinity seeured the sacks which, having been in the water a short time, yielded the berry none the worse for sea water.

Brakemen on the railroad at Suspension Bridge have collected 50 cents extra from immigrants under the plea of toll. The fraud having just been discovered will be stopped.

James Vick, the well and favorably known seedsman and florist, died in Rochester, N. Y., on the 16th inst., aged 64 years. He leaves a wife and seven children, all but one of whom are married.

A new invention by S. V. Essick of Canton, O., makes one impulse per letter only, while the Morse transmitter necessitates 82. The invention has already been tested and pronounced a big thing.

The meshes are being closely woven around the Malley boys. charged with the Jennie Cramer murder.

Mrs. Garfield has donated $500 to the building fund of the $40,000 Memorial Christian church at Washington, with the promise of $500 more if needed.

FOREIGN.

A special train from London conveyed mourners to Chatsworth to attend the funeral of Lord Cavendish. Among them was the prince of Wales and duke of Edinburgh, representing the queen Mr. Gladstone, Lord Granville, Mr. Forster, the attorney general, the postmaster general, and many other distinguished persons. One of the most conspicuous features of the funeral was the assemblage of 5,000 tenants of the duke of Devonshire, father of Lord Cavendish. The order of the procession was: The hearse, the duke of Devonshire walking alone, the marquis of Hartington, Lord Edward Cavendish, Mr. Gladstone, Earl Granville, the speaker of the house of commons, members of the cabinet and 300 members of parliament walking four abreast. An immense crowd was present, the number being estimated as high as 30,000.

Mr. Trevelyan, the new chief secretary for Ireland, and Lady Spencer, have arrived in Dublin. The former was warmly cheered by the populace. He was escorted to the castle by mounted police.

In the house of commons Sir Walter Harcourt, home secretary, introduced a bill for the repression of crime in Ireland. He characterized the prevalence of crime there as a national disgrace, He said: "The time has arrived for the entire house to unite in taking steps to repress it. The Irish members complain bitterly of the abandonment of the new policy of conciliation and intend to offer strenuous opposition to the passing of the bill.

A terrible explosion of fire-damp is reported in the Pluto mine, in the town of Bochum, Westphalia. Fifty-six dead bodies were recovered.

A severe storm of wind and rain raging on the northern and western portions of Lake Ontario has washed away several houses used as summer residences on the island off Toronto. Many wrecks are expected.

Arrests of parties on suspicion of complicity in the murders of Cavendish and Burke continue. The repression bill was the subject of an exciting debate in the British house of commons. A London paper predicts Gladstone's early retirement from the chancellorship.

The Egyptian ministry take it all back and are interceding with the Khedive for pardon. He is master of the situation, and refuses to treat with the committee.

One hundred and fifty Russian Jews arrived at Montreal yesterday, and 600 more started the same day from Berlin for America.

The United States will not accede to the request of Chili to send mails from this country for Peru to Callao for distribution.

The Khedive of Egypt and his ministers have resumed their official relations. The advance of the English and French fleets helped to restore quiet.

At the opening of the Hawaiian legislature the king made an acknowledgment of the benefits derived by his people from the reciprocity treaty with the United States.

No positive information regarding the identity of the Cavendish-Burke assassins has been obtained so far, but the $5,000 reward may bring revelations in the near future.

The case of the municipality of Marseilles against the ex-Empress Eugenia to recover possession of the chateau presented to the emperor by the city, has been decided in favor of the ex-empress.

Lieut. Danenhower, Mr. Newcomb, naturalist, Jack Cole, the insane seaman, and Long Sing, survivors of the Jeannette arctic expedition, arrived in England on the 17th in good health. They leave for New York on the 18th A reception was tendered them in Liverpool.

Garfield house, a home for working girls, has been opened in London with an eloquent address by Minister Lowell.

DETROIT MARKETS.

THE PRODUCE AND PROVISION market is supplied at rates as follows: Mess pork, $19.75; family, $20.25; clear, $22.50. Lard, 11¼c for tierces; 12c for kegs; hams, 12@13c; shoulders, 8¾@9c; bacon, 13c; dried beef, 13 @15c; extra mess beef, $13.25. Chickens were sold at 12@14c per lb., white fish and trout 7@ 8c.

VEGETABLES—Jobbing prices were as follows: Per doz bunches asparagus $1 10@ 1 25; cucumbers, 75@80; onions, 40@45c; pie plant, 50@55c; radishes, 50@55; vegetable oyster, 45@50c. Per box string beans, $2 50 @2 75; peas, $2 75@$3 per bu; lettuce, 75@ 80c.

FLOUR.

White wheat, roller process..	$6 75	@	7 50
White wheat pastry	6 00	@	6 75
White wheat brands, country.	6 00	@	6 25
Winter patents.....	7 50	@	8 00
Seconds.....	4 75	@	5 00
Minnesota brands.....	7 25	@	8 00
Minnesota patents.....	8 00	@	9 50
WHEAT—white ℔ bu.....	1 25	@	1 37
CLOVER SEED—℔ bu.....	4 00	@	4 70
CORN—℔ bu.....	70	@	80
OATS—℔ bu	50	@	55
STRAWBERRIES—℔ qt.....	25		
BARLEY—℔ bu.....	1 95	@	2 25
CHEESE—Ohio & Mich., ℔ lb..	14	@	15
DRIED FRUIT—Apples ℔ lb..	5	@	6
— " evapor'td	12	@	13
—Peaches	18	@	23
—Pitted Cherries	20	@	21
ONIONS -℔ bu.....	2 25	@	2 50
BEANS— ℔ bu.....	2 75	@	3 45
BUTTER—℔ lb choice.....	17	@	18
BEESWAX—℔ lb.....	20	@	22
EGGS—℔ doz.....	14	@	16
HAY—per ton.....	14 00	@	15 00
HIDES—Green	6	@	7
—Cured.....	7		8
HOPS—.....	20	@	25
POTATOES—℔ bu.....	1 00	@	1 10
SHEEP PELTS—each	75	@	1 75
TALLOW—℔ lb.....	5½	@	7
WOOD—℔ cord.....	4 00	@	6 50

Live Stock Market.

CATTLE.

Steers extra per cwt.....	$6 00@7 75
Steers shippers.....	6 50@7 50
Steers butchers.....	5 00@6 00
Steers common grades.....	4 00@5 50
Milch cows.....	35 00@55 00

SHEEP

Per 100 lbs. clipped	4 00@7 00

HOGS.

Per 100 lbs.....	6 00 @ 8 00

Whittier on Forest Trees.

The following letter from John G. Whittier, addressed to John G. Peaslee and read at the recent Forestry Convention in Cincinnati, indicates his interest in the subject of forestry:

"I thank thee for the invitation to attend the Forestry Convention in the City of Cincinnati. For several years I have felt a deep interest in the conservation of our forests and the planting of trees. The wealth, beauty, fertility and healthfulness of the country largely depend upon it. My indignation is yearly aroused by the needless sacrifice of some noble oak or elm, and especially of the white pine, the grandest tree in our woods, which I would not exchange for Oriental palms. My thanks will be due to the public school which is to plant a group of trees in my honor. I could ask no better memorial. I have always admired the good taste of the Sakokis Indians around Sebago Lake, who, when their chief died, dug around a beech tree, swaying it down, and placed his body in the rent, and then let the noble tree fall back into its original place—a green and beautiful monument for the son of the forest. It would give me great pleasure to attend the convention, but my health is not equal to such an effort.

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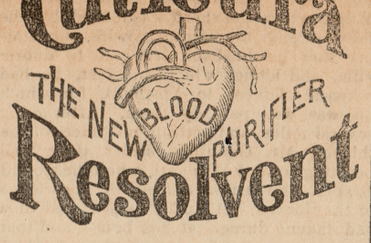

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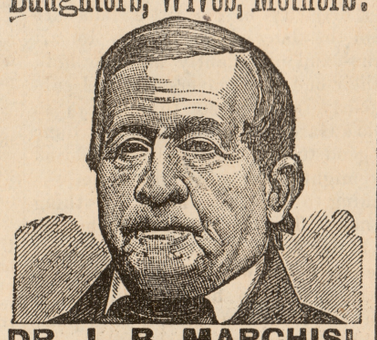

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TEMPERANCE.

What Came to Dilly's House.

Dilly was perched on a fence-post, her light hair flying about her face, as usual, and her little, red hands clasped behind her back. The three or four small toes that peeped out through her ragged shoes were red, also, for the autumn day was cold; but Dilly was used to such trifles. Toddles, the baby, who could not climb the fence contented himself with looking through. He was bundled up in an odd fashion, of Dilly's own invention—in an old shawl; and, if the round face that peeped between the fence-rails was roughened by the chill winds, he, like Dilly, had grown accustomed to such discomforts.

It occurred to Freddy Burr, in the next yard, however, that their situation was scarcely agreeable. He looked up from the stick he was trying to split with his new hatchet, and asked:

'What makes you sit up there such a day as this? Why don't you go into the house and keep warm?'

''Cause I'd rather stay here and watch you,' said Dilly, serenely. ''Tain't no fun in the house.'

'Well, I wouldn't think it was any fun out here, I can tell you, if I didn't have a warm coat and scarf and these thick boots,' remarked Freddy, displaying the pair of red-tops, that were his pride.

Dilly looked at them, and an old, vague wonder awoke as she did so, nad grew more distinct, until, presently, it took shape in words.

'Why don't I have such things, too, Freddy Burr—shoes and new clothes and something to wear on my head?"

''Cause your father drinks 'em up,' answered Freddy, promptly, and without the slightest hesitation in disclosing the truth. Dilly pondered a moment and as promptly denied. 'No, he don't, either. Folks can't drink such things. Where do you get yours?'

'My father buys 'em for me; and the reason yours don't get any for you is 'cause they all go into old Barney's rum-barrels, down at the corner. That's the way of it, true as you live, Dilly Keene; and it's awful mean, too!' declared Freddy, growing indignant as he explained. Then a voice from the pretty house beyond called Freddy, and he ran in, while Dilly and Toddles, with their amusement of watching ended, turned slowly away. Dilly surveyed herself and the baby thoughtfully, and sat down upon an old log to meditate. If what Freddy Burr told her was true, something ought to be done about it; and the longer she pondered, the more fully she becamed convinced that she had heard the truth.

''Cause other folks has things and we don't, and it must be ours go some where else,' she reasoned. 'They can't be any good there, either. I'm just sure they can't. Mebby I've got a hood—mebby it would be a nice red one, pretty and warm. Wish I had it now. Wish Toddles had—' She stopped as a brilliant plan flashed suddenly in her brain. Wouldn't her mother be surprised, if she could do that—poor mother, who was out washing, and who would be so tired when she came home at night.

'Toddles, let's do it!' she said, springing up, excitedly. 'Let's go an' see if we can get some of 'em.'

'Yah!' answered Toddles, contentedly, and, taking his hand, Dilly opened the creaking gate and led the way down the street. There were a number of men in the store at the corner—a queer store, with a curtain across the lower half of its front window. Dilly saw them when the door opened; but she was a determined little body, when once she had decided upon the proper thing to do. So she only clasped Toddle's hand closer, and walked in and up to the counter, making an extra effort to speak distinctly, because her heart beat so fast. 'Please, sir, have you got anything of ours a-soak he?'

There was an instant's silence, and then a shout of laughter from the men. 'Well, now, that's a neat way of putting it. Hey, Keene, these youngsters of yours want to know if Barney has you in soak here?'

An old slouched hat behind the stove was raised a little, but there was no other sign that the man heard. Dilly shrank back abashed. 'Oh! I didn't mean him.'

'What did you mean, then?' asked a coarse, red-faced man, advancing from behind the bar and speaking in tones not at all gentle or amiable.

'Shoes and coats and such things,' faltered Dilly. 'Hoods—I'm 'fraid its spoiled with the whisky; but mebby ma could wash it out. Wouldn't you take some of 'em out of your barrel, Mr. Barney? We need 'em awful bad.'

'I should think as much,' muttered one af the bystanders, surveying the two dilapidated figures; but Mr. Barneys wrath was rising.

'What barrels? Who sent you here?' he demanded, angrily.

'Your rum-barrel,' answered Dilly, standing her ground desperately, though with a little catch in her breath, that was just ready to break into a sob. 'Ma works hard all the time, and she looks so sorry; and we don't have any nice dinners at our house, like Freddy Burr's; and no new shoes, nor caps, nor anything. I asked Freddy where our good things went to, 'cause they don't come to our house; and he said you had them down here in your barrels. Please, do take some of 'em out, Mr. Barney. I'm sure it can't make anybody's drink taste a bit better to have a little boy's and girl's new shoes and dresses and everytning in the barrel.'

'You're right there, sissy. It's nigh about spoiled the taste of mine,' said one of the group at the counter, putting down his glass with a queer, perplexed look. But there was no perplexity in the bar-keeper's look. . That was wrathful. 'We've had enough of this nonsense! Now, you leave, you young ragamuffins, as fast as your feet will carry you, and never let me catch you inside these doors again.'

He stepped toward them, as if to drive them out; but the man behind the stove suddenly arose. 'Take care, Barney! You'd better not touch them. You've knocked me about often enough but you'd best let them alone.' There was a fire in the eyes under the old slouched hat, before which Mr. Barney drew back.

Both children were crying by that time; but the father took a hand of each, 'Come, Dilly; come, baby,' and, without a look to his companions, he passed out into the street. It was a very silent walk. Toddle's tears were dried as soon as the stranger, whose loud voice had awakened his baby terror, was out of sight; but poor little Dilly's heart was sore with disappointment and fear. She had failed in the scheme that she had thought promised so fairly. No hood nor shoes had she seen, after all her bravery in venturing into that dreadful store, and who could tell how angry her father might be? She stole shy glances up under the old hat; but she only saw a sober, downcast face, and he said nothing, nor even when they had reached home. He hunted up some fuel and made a better fire; and then sat down before it, with his head between his hands, and left the children to their own devices.

But two weeks later Dilly completed the story, confidentially, to Freddy Burr. 'See here!' she said, pushing the toes of stout new shoes through the fence.

'Where did you get 'em?' asked Freddy.

'And see here!' continued Dilly, bobbing up for a instant, to show the hood that covered the yellow hair, and touching it significantly with her finger.

'Where did you get 'em?' repeated Freddy.

'My pa worked and bought 'em and brought 'em home; and they didn't get into nobody's barrel,' explained Dilly, with great pride and little regard for grammar. Then she pressed her small face against the fence for a prolonged interview.

'When you told me Mr. Barney had all our nice things down in his store, in a barrel, I just went right down there, and asked him for 'em—me and Toddles.'

'You didn't!' exclaimed horrified Freddy.

'Did too!' declared Dilly, with an emphatic nod. 'Well, he wouldn't give me one of 'em, and he was just as cross as anything. So, then, my pa got up from the stove and walked home with us. He didn't scold a bit; but he just sat down before the fire, this way, and thinked, and thinked and thinked. At last, he put his hand in one pocket, and there wasn't anything there; and he put his hand in another, and found ten cents, and he went out and bought some meat for supper. Then when ma came home he talked to her, and they both cried—I don't know what for, 'less it was 'cause we couldn't get the things out of that old barrel. And ma hugged and kissed me most to death that night, she did.

'Well, my pa got some work the next day, and brought home some money; and now he has found a place to work every day. He bought all these things, and he says his little boy and girl shall have things like other folks.—*Ex.*

The Advantages of Two Eyes.

In response to the question, "What is the use of having two eyes?" the answer has been given, "To have one left if the other is hurt." Much as we may admire the sagacious foresight of this youthful physiologist, it will not be found sufficient to rest contented with his ultimatum. He had evidently not tried his skill to find how unexpectedly he would miss the inkstand while endeavoring to dip his pen into it at arm's length, with one eye closed. He had not thought of holding his finger a few inches in front of his face to find what part of the wall it would hide from each eye in succession, or how differently it would look when regarded from those two points of view separately, how much thicker it would appear when both eyes were open, how readily he could examine three sides of it at once, how much more definitely he could judge its distance, in a word how much more comprehensive was the information given by two eyes if used at the same moment. Assuming that he knows exactly how to account for the inversion of the retinal image and the erect appearance of the object there pictured, how our visual perceptions are only signs of what we momentarily feel on the retina, signs that generally represent the realities with a fair degree of accuracy, but may sometimes represent almost anything else on demand, how, if the eyes be healthy, we have no consciousness of possessing any retina at all, but instantly and unconsciously refer every retinal sensation to some external body whose existence we are obliged to assume, unless there be special arguments to convince us to the contrary—granting all this, our young physiologist has not thought of inquiring how it is that, although two retinal images are produced, we see but a single object, and this despite the fact that, like photographs of the same body simultaneously taken from different stand-points, these two images are necessarily dissimilar. —*Popular Science Monthly.*

HOW TO KEEP LAMP CHIMNEYS.—The following receipt for keeping lamp chimneys from cracking is taken from the *Diamond*, a Leipsic journal devoted to the glass interest: Place your tumblers, chimneys or vessels which you desire to keep from cracking in a pot filled with cold water and a little cooking salt, allow the mixture to boil well over a fire, and then cool slowly. Glass treated in this way is said not to crack, even if exposed to very sudden changes of temperature. Chimneys are said to become very durable by this process, which may be also extended to crockery, stone ware, porcelain, etc. The process is simply one of annealing, and the slower the process, especially the cooling portion of it, the more effective will be the work.

Cable steamers have sailed to repair breaks in the Atlantic cables.

A Terrible Mistake.

The condensed milk upon which Mrs. Murphy fed her baby was kept at night upon the window-sill in the nursery, where the cold air, drawing in under the opened sash, would envelope the can. One night when the baby was unusually troublesome, Mr. Murphy, faithful and self-sacrificing father and husband, said that he would go to the nursery and mix the milk for the hungry little sufferer. The nursery was quite dark, but Mr. Murphy had often performed the service before, and he knew just where to put his hand on the bottle and the spoon and the other things. It happened, however, that an open can of baking powder stood upon the window-sill, near to the can of condensed milk, and Mr. Murphy, getting hold of it, put two spoonfuls of the powder into the bottle, filled the bottle with hot water, put on the rubber top and went back to the bedroom. When the baby had taken three or four swallows of the mixture it pushed the bottle away and began to behave in a most extraordinary manner. After yelling with that vehemence which is always astonishing when the size of a baby is considered, it turned a couple of somersaults, rolled over and over, clutched the sides of its crib and conducted itself generally in such a fashion as to fill Mr. and Mrs. Murphy with intense alarm.

"What on earth can be the matter with Alexander?" asked Mr. Murphy, taking the bottle from his wife, as she turned her attention wholly to the child.

"He acts as if he had convulsions," said Mrs. Murphy.

Mr. Murphy suggested a spice plaster as a possible alleviation of the child's pain; and Mrs. Murphy was just remarking that a spice plaster was far too trivial a remedy for such spasms, when Mr. Murphy observed the color of the mixture in the bottle. He removed the top, and standing behind Mrs. Murphy applied the bottle to his nose. At once he proceeded to the nursery and striking a light, discovered the nature of the mistake he had made. Quickly he threw the can of baking powder out of the window, emptied and washed the bottle, filled it with milk and returned to the bedroom with the evidences of his crime, as he imagined, all removed.

In an hour or two the baby grew quieter and Mr. Murphy went to bed, remorseful, but glad that he had had so much presence of mind. Mrs. Murphy sat up all night with the injured Alexander in her arms. Mr. Murphy came down to breakfast, feeling, upon the whole, rather easy in his mind. Mrs. Murphy greeted him with a fierce look in her eyes.

"You wanted to murder your child, did you?" she asked with intense feeling.

"Murder my child, darling?" asked Mr. Murphy with an affectation of surprise, while his head began beating furiously. "Why, what do you mean?"

"You threw away the baking powder and cleaned the bottle," said Mrs. Murphy, with a bitter sneer, "but you forgot the spoon! Ha! ha! Be sure your sin will find you out! If Alexander had died you would have been a murderer! A red-handed murderer!"

And then Mrs. Murphy burst into tears and flew up stairs. Mr. Murphy went down town without his breakfast and with a strong determination to refrain hereafter from providing nocturnal nutriment for Alexander.

Falling From a Tight Rope.

Prof. D. J. Dare, the "man fly, gymnast, and rope-walker," was exhibiting upon the tight-rope at Flushing, L. I., when he attempted to walk backward and forward blindfolded, tied from head to foot in a sack.

A long wire was extended across Bridge street from the Times office and fastened around under the eaves of the building. A lever which tightened the rope was held in place by being caught under the edge of the roof. After going through the simpler portion of the exhibition, a handkerchief was tied around his head, and he proceeded to walk across blindfolded. At this point the stick slipped, the rope slackened suddenly, and he fell astride it. He rebounded and fell 30 feet to the macadamized road, striking upon his head and left shoulder, fracturing the skull. He was picked up, and ejaculated, "Oh, my God!" and expired. A telegram was sent to his wife and his aunt, also to his father Rev. Dr. Seman, editor of the Norwich Sentinel.

The real name of the deceased was James Seman. He was about 5 feet 6 inches high, spare, but athletic, with dark eyes and moustache. He was 28 years of age, and had been engaged as a professional gymnast for about 12 years. He fell three months ago in Hollister, Cal., and was so badly hurt that he lay unconscious 10 days. He was employed in 1871 by Barnum, but has since been giving exhibitions on his own account.

THE PERSECUTIONS of the Jews in Russia are infamous; the persecutions of unoffending evangelists in Sweden are nothing less. In the latter country they have the sanction of law, but it is the disgrace of Sweden that law and public opinion tolerate persecution. Any preacher, not authorized by the king, may there be forbidden, fined, imprisoned, and kept on bread and water, if only the priests and parish authorities *consider* his preaching as liable to lead to a separation from the State Church. The high dignitaries of the church co-operate with the King's or City's magistrates to enforce a petty and illegal tyranny, and so foreign to the popular conceptions is any just idea of religious liberty, that a meeting of men and women in a private house for prayer and singing is rudely interrupted by the civil officers, instigated by State Church priests, and commanded to disperse. One ray of light, however, comes from Sweden, emanating, not from its King, Court, or Church, but from an influential paper in Gothenburg, the *Journal of Commerce*. Its editor and a few of its friends, to save Sweden from the disgrace of fining a Baptist preacher, or confining him in prison twenty-eight days on bread and water, just for preaching the gospel without the permission of the state authorities, *paid the fine themselves*. Sweden has more to hope from its editor than from its King or Archbishop, for he better understands, and more truly sympathizes with the rights of man. But are not editors always in the van in reform work?

Colonel Ingersoll's purifying infidelity does not prevent him from making a blackguard of himself on very slight provocation.—*Ex.*

Colonel Bob Ingersoll is trying to raise in the courts what he doesn't believe he will see hereafter. He is succeeding passably well.

Suddenly Weakened.

"I suffered with rheumatism of the back and hip for a number of years," said Mr. Thomas Morgan, Superintendent of Streets. "I was waited on by physicians, but they gave no permanent relief, and I resolved to try St. Jacobs Oil. My rheumatism weakened at the first attack of its great enemy, St. Jacobs Oil, and soon I was well.—*Cincinnati Times-Star.*

The Princess Louise is expected to return to Canada this month and to spend the summer there. With Lord Lorne, in September she will visit British Columbia.

Mr. Michael Robbett, 77 Sargent street, Cahoes, N. Y., was cured of a very severely injured knee by St. Jacobs Oil, says the Rochester, N. Y., *Sunday Herald.*

The Pope lately performed the marriage ceremony in the Vatican for a handsome young neice, Anna Pecci.

A Long Snooze.

Rip Van Winkle slept a good while, yet had his sleep occurred about 50 years ago, when Downs' Elixir first attained its reputation, on awaking he would have been able to recognize this friend of the afflicted, and might have taken another twenty years' nap, and waked up to find Downs' Elixir at the end of half a century the most popular and the best Cough Remedy known. Also Baxter's Bitters for Bilious diseases, not so old, but good.

It is the opinion of Lieutenant Danenhower that Lieut. DeLong and his comrades landed near inhabited settlements, but were misdirected by inaccurate charts to the wilderness where they perished.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Morrill, of Maine, is in failing health and grave apprehensions are felt for him.

"First a cough, carried me off,
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This will not be your epitaph if you take your cough and Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" in time. It is specific for weak lungs, spitting of blood, night sweats, and the early stages of consumption. By all druggists.

Civil war is impending in Egypt. The khedive is threatened with removal from office on the ground that he is not fit to rule over his people.

Lord Byron, in reference to a beautiful lady, wrote to a friend—"Lady——has been dangerously ill, but now she is *dangerously* well again." American belles, when attacked by any of the ills that flesh is heir to, may be kept *killing*, and avoid being killed by taking Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which banishes feminine weaknesses, and restores the bloom of health. By all druggists.

Great distress is reported on Anticosta island. At Esquimaux Point 26 persons have died of scarlet fever and large numbers are reported on the verge of starvation.

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A canister with a lighted fuse was discovered on the railing of the Lord Mayor's mansion, London, filled with blasting powder.

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Mrs. Sarah J. Van Buren, of 192 Franklin St., Buffalo, N. Y., whose portrait appears in another column of this paper, is preparing a "Ladies' Tonic" which has proved a blessing indeed to many a worn out wife or mother. The sensitiveness of woman's organization makes her more susceptible to disease than man, and there has been a long felt want among ladies for something which would overcome those many weaknesses so common to the sex, and assist nature in building up a shattered constitution. This Mrs. Van Buren's "Ladies' Tonic" has never failed to do.

RESCUED FROM DEATH.

William J. Coughlin of Somerville; Mass., says: In the fall of 1876 I was taken with BLEEDING OF THE LUNGS, followed by a severe cough. I lost my appetite and flesh, and was confined to my bed. In 1877 I was admitted to the Hospital. The doctors said I had a hole in my lung as big as a half dollar. At one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of DR. WILLIAM HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUMGS. I got a bottle, when to my surprise, I commenced to feel better, and to-day I feel better than for three years past.

"I write this hoping every one afflicted with Diseased Lungs will take DR. WILLIAM HALL'S BALSAM, and be convinced that CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED. I can positively say it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness.

FACTS ABOUT UMBRELLAS.

Antiquarians say that the umbrella was invented shortly after the flood, and has been the least improved upon of all appliances for human comfort, the shape being now as it was in those youthful days of the world. An umbrella is much like a pigeon as to the question of possession—the last one who gets it owns it. The following facts about umbrellas—especially the last one—may serve every reader a splendid purpose sooner or later: To place your umbrella in a rack indicates that it is about to change owners. An umbrella carried over a woman, the man getting nothing but drippings of the rain, indicates courtship. When the man has the umbrella and the woman the drippings, it indicates marriage. To carry it at right angles under your arm signifies that an eye is to be lost by the man who follows you. To put a cotton umbrella by the side of a nice silk one signifies that "exchange is no robbery." To lend an umbrella signifies that "I am a fool." To carry an umbrella just high enough to tear out men eyes and knock off men's hats, signifies "I am a woman." To go without an umbrella in a rain-storm shows I am sure of getting rheumatism, and will have to use ST. JACOBS OIL, to get well." To keep a fine umbrella for your own use and a bottle of ST. JACOBS OIL always in the house, in case of rheumatism or accident, would signify that you are real philosopher.

The following communication to the editor of the Salem (Mass.) *Register* shows how an artist treated his visitor: "I would have accepted your kind invitation to visit you in your new quarters with pleasure before this had not my old enemy, Mr. Rheumatism, pounced on me so suddenly. He arrived last Friday, and, without stopping to send up his card, rushed in and grasped me by the hand with such a grip that in a few hours my hand and wrist were so badly swollen and painful that I felt as though one of Mr. Hatch's coal teams had run over me. Mr. Rheumatism has been a constant visitor of mine for several years; he always swells and put on a great many airs, making himself at home, devouring my substance and leaving me poor in flesh and pocket. Last winter he came and stayed two months. I then decided that the next time he came I would change his dict. I was somewhat at a loss what to feed him with, but finally concluded to give him three square meals a day of ST. JACOBS OIL—morning, noon and night. This fare he is disgusted with, and is packing up his trunk and will leave by to-morrow or next day; says he cannot stop any longer, as he has pressing business elsewhere. He is a treacherous fellow, and he intends visiting some of our Salem friends; if he does, just give him the same fare that I did and he won't stop long. J. S. LEFAVOUR.

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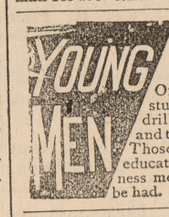

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No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

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ST. LOUIS, MO., Nov. 26th, 1881. 3104 Wash Avenue.

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Additional Local continued from First Page.

The Ladies Parish Aid Society of St. Luke's church will give a Weight Social next Friday evening May 26th at the residence of Mr. D. L. Quirk.

One of the most prominent lawyers of the county and state, Hiram J. Beakes, died at his residence in Ann Arbor, Thursday morning, of cancer in the liver, at the age of 55 years.

Mr. B. S. Voorhees as far as heard from ahead in the swarming business. May 16th his bees swarmed, and were nicely hived. In the most forward seasons an event of this kind is rare earlier than the last week in May.

A CALL.—The First Baptist Church extended a unanimous call Thursday evening to Rev. J. B. Sutherland of Attumwa, Iowa to become their pastor, salary $1200 and the parsonage. Mr. Sutherland is a brother of the talented Unitarian preacher at Ann Arbor.

The state military committee visited our city Thursday. Gen. Withington, Gen. Gage and Col. Grisson. They were met at the Depot by Messrs. S. Post, Don Bachelder and Walter Hawkins, and proceeded to the fair grounds and the field beyond owned by Mr. Starkweather. The visitors were much pleased with the advantages offered. They remained to tea, and returned to Detroit in the evening. 2,000 men in drill will be a sight worth seeing. Hope to see the boys here next August.

GLUCOSE.—Mr. C. F. Rogers from Kansas City, Mo., general Superintendent of the Rochester Grape Sugar Co., was in the city this week. Mr. Rogers is trying to interest our citizens in a glucose manufactury at this point. He exhibits nice specimens. A capital of $100,000 is required. He will take $10,000 and he thinks that the major part of the stock will be taken in Detroit. But the manageing interest ought to be here. What say our capitalists?

SEMINARY ITEMS.

Miss Mary Lord was present at Rhetoricals on Wednesday.

The chorus class has received some additions and is improving more rapidly than ever.

The Rhetorical exercises "develope" more and more each afternoon. It would be well worth any one's time to be present almost any day.

Principal Carman has prepared certificates for each member of the High School showing the studies completed, standings, text-books, teachers, etc., all in very concise form.

The Reading Club has discontinued its meetings for the remainder of this year. One selection from each of the authors in the book entitled "American Prose," has been read. Much pleasure and profit have been derived from these readings.

Every few weeks some one of the different teachers of the school find it necessary to take a leave of absence. The place is supplied by some member of the High School who is not able to perform the work as well; and besides loses time in her classes. We can imagine cases where this might be excusable; but it seems to occur too frequently and in most cases is an injustice to the pupils of both grades.

The following letter is the result of the visit made by two of the University Professors. It is very satisfactory to both teachers and pupils.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN,
ANN ARBOR, MICH., May 15th, 1882.

MY DEAR SIR.—The Faculty have tonight voted to receive the graduates from your school this year as here-tofore

I congratulate you on the efficiency of the school as reported to us by the Committee. Yours Very Truly

JAMES B. ANGELL.

PROFESSOR PUTNAM.

NORMAL ITEMS.

We are pleased to welcome Miss Mabel Robinson back to school.

Everybody is getting ready for commencement.

Public debate to-night on Logan's educational bill.

The literature class finish English literature this week.

Murmurs of discontent relative to society work are growing more numerous. We trust the class of '83, who are most concerned in the matter, will see that a mass meeting is called to devise plans for a rearrangement.

The St. Cecilia's met on Wednesday for practice. The recent music is very fine and the club will do it justice. They will sing at the commencement of both courses. There is great expectation for the grand concert in June.

The graduates of each course are obliged to deposit their money in the hands of the treasurer of the faculty. Probably the board of education considers it a sort of retainer fee.

We are very much obliged for the generous offers of assistance which have come to us from three sources to relieve us from our reportorial duties. Thanks! But our work is rather easy at present, and in fact we rather enjoy our position.

We are pained to record the death of a former student well known in Ypsilanti. Samuel F. Stuff, class of '80, died at Harrisonville, Wednesday, May 9th, of typhoid fever, and was buried at Green Castle, Pa. His demise is sincerely regretted by his circle of Normal friends.

The faculty have at last struck it solid. They have forbidden wall decorations. At every public, nails have been driven into the plastering till it began to be loosened in many places. The stage can be made very attractive by plants, statutes and flowers, and we can easily dispense with the half-starved evergreens that have been won't to annoy good taste.

We wish to state that the correspondent of this paper writes every item which appears under the head of "Normal Items." He is neither directly or indirectly influenced by any one.

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"HEROES OF THREE WARS."

A new historic work by captain Willard Glazier entitled "Heroes of three wars" is published by Hubbard brothers of Philadelphia, and now for the first and only time is being sold in Ypsilanti by a lady solicitor and by subscription only. Captain Glaizier "soldier author," is an interesting graphic writer as is manifest by the national popularity of his former productions, "Capture, Prison-Pen and Escape," "Soldiers of the saddle," "Battle for the Union," and other works which have found extensive sale in all the principal cities throughout the country. Having served with honorable distinction as a writer and officer in the late war for the union, and as the New York Tribune says his facile pen at once and with peculiar fidelity transfers the mental picture to the page before him, and the fascinating pages before us are manifest breathing panoramas of the great struggles and heroic sacrifices for the preservation of the union. "The Heroes of Three Wars," is well printed, beautifully bound, and handsomely illustrated, containing 450 pages, and a valuable book for old or young giving as it does the biography of over forty of the heroes and prominent actors in the three historic wars of America, the Revolutionary war of 1776, the war with Mexico 1846 and the late war for the Union 1861. Price $2.

PERSONALS.

Will Bell clerks it at H. S. Boutel & Son's flour and feed store.

Mr. Thos. Kissane is spending a short time with his friends in Canton.

Sergeant Finley goes to Kansas City his head quarters for the present.

Mr. Charles Bogardus was in the city Monday.

Mr. S. Barnard has a valuable colt badly injured by the dangerous notched wire fence.

The State Holiness Camp meeting Association begins in the grove north of Ann Arbor May 31st.

The Baptist Association held at Ann Aabor this week was largely represented by Ypsilanti Baptists.

Ed. Randolph of Flint, and H. Platt were in town Thursday to attend the wedding.

Capt. E. P. Allen is absent at Springfield, Ill., being one of the delegates from this Synod to the General Assembly.

Rev. Mr. Grannis and Mr. Fred Hunt are delegates to the Congregational Conference that met at Greenville, this week.

Miss Anna Campbell Ypsilanti is the prophet of the Senior class in the Ann Arbor High School.

Chas. Wheeler remains in Dakota until fall, we expect him to return home laden down with the products of that wonderfully fertile region.

Messrs Evan Begole, J. F. Saunders and W. B. Seymour have other fish to fry so Judge Joslin excuses them from the list of Jurymen.

We met Mr. A. L. Cory, the chain pump manufacturer in Detroit Wednesday. He said he had a splendid dinner at Rices' temperances hotel. Ditto.

J.M. Chidister during his stay of three weeks in Dakota got 125 acres of wheat into the ground. So many Ypsilantians raising Dakota wheat, we expect the market around here will be glutted.

We had a pleasant call from Mr. Charles Moore Tuesday, one of the Editors and publishers of that popular and successful literary and society journal, Every Saturday.

Sergeant Finley says, "That his brother Dr. Mark Finley, the dentest is doing splendidly at Washington." "A prophet is not without honor save in his own country." But Mark is really a thoroughly educated and first class dentist.

Father William Jarvis will be 82 years old the 27th of this month. He has been a soldier of the cross identified with the M. E. church in this city forty two years. Mrs. Jarvis has her Commercial premium, the steel plate engraving of our State Capital framed and it looks nicely side by side with that of the Normal.

Corns! Corns! Corns!

Everyone suffering from painful corns will be glad to learn that there is a new and painless remedy discovered by which the very worst class of corns may be removed entirely, in a short time and without pain PUTNAM'S PAINLESS CORN EXTRACTOR has already been used by thousands, and each person who has given it a trial becomes anxious to recommend it to others. It is the only sure, prompt and painless cure for corns known. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor is sold everywhere. Wholesale, J. E. DAVIS & CO., Detroit.

Judge Jere Black takes a leaf out of his own experience, when he was a member of Buchanan's Cabinet and used to be the bearer of propositions matrimonial to the then bachelor resident of the White House, and is sure that President Arthur is the recipient of many offers from "willin" females of the Barkis family. All of which recalls the answer of the popular revivalist of a former day, the Rev. Dr. Kirk, to a lady who proffered him "her hand, heart and fortune." "My dear madam, give your fortune to the poor, your heart to the Lord, and your hand to the man who asks for it."

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Why should little girls from six to ten years of age be wearing blue glasses? Are their eyes giving out, or is it the fashion?

Druggists's Testimony.

H. F. McCarthy, druggist, Ottawa, Ont. states that he was afflicted with chronic bronchitis for some years, and was completely cured by the use of THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL.

NEWSPAPER LAWS.—1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered wishing to continue their subscription.

2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals, the publishers may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible until they have settled their bills, and ordered them discontinued.

4. Any person who receives a newspaper and makes use of it, whether he has ordered it or not is held in law to be a subscriber.

5. If subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice to the publiser at the end of their time, if they do not wish to continue taking it; otherwise the publisheris authorized to send it on, and the subscribers will be responsible until an express notice, with payment of all arrears, is sent to the publisher.

"BEST OF ALL."

Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.: DEAR SIR—My Family has used your "Favorite Prescription" and it has done all that is claimed for it. It is the best of all preparations for female complaints. I recommend it to all my customers.

A solid mile of gorgeous tableaux cars and chariots, golden cages filled with wild animals, surrounded by waving banners of satin and gold. Big Bolivar, the mountain of flesh, towered over everything else, his mighty tread apparently testing the strength of the earthy crust upon which we live. Once seen, Mr. Forepaugh's claim that Bolivar is the largest elephant in the world, is unhesitatingly admitted by everybody.

A Friend in Need.

Time over and again THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL has proved a salutary friend to the distressed. As a reliable curative for croup in children, sore throat and bronchial affections, and as a positive external remedy for pain, it is a never-failing antidote.

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"The proof of the pudding is in the eating thereof," and not in chewing the string which tied the bag. Therefore, take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic. It cures all blood disorders, torpid liver, sick headache, costiveness, and all diseases of the urinary organs. The best appetizer and tonic known. Sold by Frank Smith. Fifty cents per bottle. 948-1-year 1

THE BILIOUS,

dyspeptic or constipated, should address, with two stamps and history of case for pamphlet, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo N. Y.

Our readers will see from the following that the Knights of Honor are a power in the land.

BALTIMORE, May 9.—The ninth annual session of the Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Honor, a beneficial society, met this afternoon at Wilson Point Hall, Delegates were present from nearly every State and Territory in the Union. The order now numbers 2,850 lodges, embracing over 130,000 members. The death benefits paid out last year to widows and orphans amounted to $2,300,000.

An Honest Preparation.

The world is so crammed with swindles that a really honest man or honest thing is almost as scarce as robins in January. Yet Mr. J. H. Northrop, of Lansingburg, N. J., formerly Captain of the troy Police, says Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" is "an honest preparation." And the Captain ought to know, for the medicine cured him of Liver complaint. Try it, or write to the Doctor, at Rondout, N. Y. 947-2-w

It will be to the interest of all who are afflicted with that terrible scourge "Cancer," to read the advertisement "Cancer Cured" in another column of this paper. Dr. DeCon, of 254 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich., therein sets forth what he can do, and the afflicted should call on, or write to him at once.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Giggs' Glycirine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25c. For sale by Frank Smith.
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Colonel "Bob" Ingersoll charges the Bible with responsibility for cruelty, bloodshed, war, polygamy, slavery and ignorance. But as yet we believe he has not charged it with making men defenders of a thief who steals the public money, breaking their promises and delaying, if not defeating justice, violating the decencies of a court by calling another man a liar and violently pounding the table with his fist. These and charging men fifty cents a head for emancipating them from superstition are, we suppose, the fruits of infidelity.—*Free Press.*

ROUGH ON RATS.

The thing desired found at last. Ask your druggists for "Rough on Rats." It clears out rats mice roaches, flies, bed-bugs, 15c. boxes. 931-1y-alt.

Important To Travelers,

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS are offered you by the BURLINGTON ROUTE. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. 1jan83

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Special Notice Column.

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MILO B. STEVENS & CO., the well known **War Claim Attorneys,** will be Represented at **Ann Arbor, Friday** and **Saturday, JUNE 2nd,** and **3rd,** by their Special Agent, FRANK I. DARLING. Soldiers and Others Interested in Claims for Pension, increase of Pension or other Claims, it is hoped, will give him a Call. Mr. Darling will be at the Office of the County Clerk.
948-3-w

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE!

By Authority of the Common Council I offer For Sale a parcel of Land Known as the "Western Cemetery Lot" Situated on the North West corner of Summit Street and Chicago Ave., in the City of Ypsilanti Containing about One and One-Fourth acres. Porposals for the Same will be Received by me up to and including June 10th, 1882.

Dated Ypsilanti May 17th, 1882.
948 R. R. SCOVILL, Mayor.

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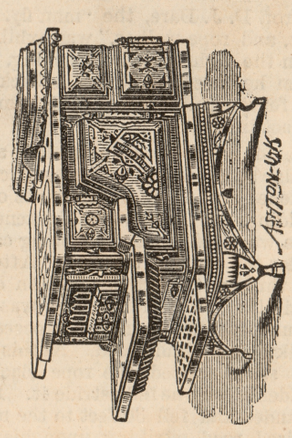

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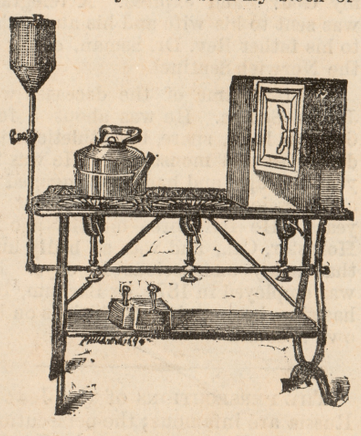

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